Chelmsford March 3d 1788

Recd of the Town Thirty Cords of Wood, the
full of my Due of Wood for y^t last year — viz to the
third day of March Instant

Eben^r Bridge

No alteration

Chelmsford, Mass

Middlesex ss Town Ephraim parkhurst one of the
4 Constables of Town of Chelmsford in the
County of middlesex Greeting ——

Seald In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hearby Required forthwith to warn all the freeholders and other inhabetants in said Town in your ward qualifyed by Law to Vote to assemble at the meeting house in said Chelmsford on monday The Second Day of April next Insuing at one of The Clock in the afternoon ——

1ly Then and their for said Inhabetants to give in unto the Selectmen of Sd Town Their Votes For a Governor & Liut Governor and also For Senetors For the County of middlesex Agreable to the Laws & Constitution of said Commonwealth ——

2ly at the Request of mr Oliver Parkhurst mr Jeramiah warren mr Silas Parker & others To See if the Town will make the Solgers which went from this Town any allowance For their Servis in the Late Expedetion under General Lincon as the other Towns have Done or For the Town to act any thing theiron They may think proper ——

3ly at the Request of major John minott To See if the Town will abate The Following persons Rates which are Due to him viz Liut Benjamin warrens Rates Benjamin Estty Rates Lewis Prouters Rates Jacob Reed junr Rates or For the Town To act any thing theiron that they may think proper ——

4ly For The Town to give in unto The assessors of said Town a True Invoice of all Their Ratable males Poles and all Their other Ratable Estate Both Real and personal which They are in possession of at the Time Appointed For said meeting in order to asses The Inhabetants of said Town to the Town and minister and highway Rates For the present year ——

Heer of fail not and make Return of this warrant with your Doings theiron unto the Town Clerk Some Time before the time appointed for said meeting ——

Ephraim parkhurst

Cert up ——

Dated at Chelmsford This twenty first Day of
march one thousand Seven hundred and Eighty
Seven

By order of the Selectmen Azariah Prentice Town Clerk

Middlesex ss — Chelmsford march 28th 1787 —

In obedeance to the within warrant I have
warned and ordered to warn all the Freeholders
and other Inhabetants in my ward qualified by law
to Vote to Assemble at time and place and for
the purposes within mentioned

Ephraim parkhurst Constable for Chelmsford

a true Coppy of the Return
of a warrant Delivered to mr
Ephraim parkhurst for warning
a Town meeting of his proceadings
and &C

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Middlesex ss To mr Isaac Chamberlin one of the
Constables of the Town of Chelmsford in the County
of middlesex — Greating

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have Done or for the Town to act any thing thereon
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Hear of Take not and make Return of this warrant with your Doings Theiron unto the Town Clerk Some time before the time appointed for Said meting

Dated at Chelmsford this Twenty Sixt Day of march Ad^o one Thousand Seven hundred & Eighty Seven

By order of the Selectmen Araiah proter Town Clerk

Middlesex ss in obedeance to the with in warrant I have warned & in dewred to warn all the Freeholders and other Inhabetants in my ward to Assemble at time and peace & for the purposes within mentiond

Chelmsford march 28th 1787 Jsaac Chamberlin } Constable for Chelmsford

Chelmsford April 9. 1787

it was ordered by the Selectmen that m^r Samuel perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Town money to m^r henry proter the Sum of Eighteen pounds Six Shillings & Eleven pence halpeny it being in full for the twenty bounty which the Town Voted to m^r Jacob proter to his Son Joseph proter in the year 1777 for his three years Servis in the Continantal army in the Last weare by a Vote pased at the anuall meeting in march Last

£18:16:11:2

by order of the Selectmen Araiah proter Town Clerk

Chelmsford April 2d 1787

at annual meeting of the Freeholders and other Inhabitants Being Legally warned and Regularly Assembled on the Day above Said then Said Town proceeded as follows ——————

Said meeting was assembled for the purpose of Chusing a Governor & Lieut governor & Senetors for the County of middlesix &c ——

Voted for John Hancock Esqr for Governor for the Commonwealth of massachusetts The number of Votes Seventy Six 76

Voted for Governor for the Commonwealth of massachusetts James Bowdoin Esqr number of Votes Twenty Two —— 22

Voted Lieutannant Governor for the Commonwealth of massachusetts Nathaniel Gorham Esqr number of Votes Sixty three —— 63

Voted for Thomas Cushing Esqr for Lieut Governor The number of Votes Twenty Two —— 22

Voted for Samuel Adams Esqr for Lieut Governor for the Commonwealth of massachusetts number of Votes Two 2

~~the choice~~ ——————

Then Said Town proceeded to the Choice of ~~Counsil~~ Senetors for the County of middlesix ——

Voted for Senetor for the County of middlesix Joseph Bradley Varnum Esqr number of Voter thirty four —— 34

Voted for Senetor for the County of middlesix Eleazer Brooks number of Votes Twenty four —— 24

Voted for Senetor for the County of middlesix Abraham Fuller Esqr number of Votes Twenty four —— 24

Voted for Senetor for the County of middlesix James prescott Esqr number of Votes Twenty four —— 24

Voted for Senetor for the County of the County of middlesix Joseph Hosmer Esqr number of Votes Twenty four —— 24

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Voted For Senetor For the County of middlesix Lent ffyes
Stears number of Votes Twenty four —— 24

Voted For Senetor For the County of middlesix Deacon
Timothy winn number of Votes Twenty four 24

Voted For Senetor For the County of middlesix Deacon
Simon Stow number of Votes Twenty four —— 24

Voted For Senetor For the County of middlesix Eleneser
Bridge Essy number of Votes Twenty Two —— 22

Voted For Senetor For the County of middlesix Capt walter
mefarlin number of Votes Twenty Two —— 22

The above & within a True Record of the numbers
of Votes & persons Voted For for gouernor Lieut
Gouernor for the Commonwealth of massachusetts and
also For Senetors for the County of middlesix
in

Recorded by Ebenezer proctor Town Clerk

Chelmsford April 2d 1787

Then the Town Being Regularly Assembled
Together by an adjournment from the
Annual meeting in march Last to this
Instant

Eleneser Bridge Essy Being moderator of Said meeting
Said Town proceed as Follows viz ——

Voted to Reconsider the Vote that was passed at the annual
meeting in march Last Relative to not hiring
Cunstable to Collect the Taxes the year ensuing
then the Vote was put

Voted to Reconsider the above Vote

Voted to give to Each of the Cunstables of Said Town Ten Dollars
pr man as a Consideration For Collecting all the Taxes
in Said Town the year ensuing & also all other publick
Taxes which may arise in Said Town the present
to Defray any publick Charge whatsoever
Carried ——

Voted To Except of Mr Isaac Chamberlin to Serve as Constable in Said the year ensuing in Lew of Mr John Freeland

Voted To Except Mr Thomas marshall to Serve as Constable in Said Town the year ensuing in Lew of Mr Joel Spaulding

Voted not to make the Solgers any Consideration for their Servis in the Late Expedition under General Lincon

Voted To abate all Lieut Benjamin Warners Rates that is Due to major John minott

Voted not to abate Benja Eastyes Rates that is Due to major minott

Voted to abate Jacob Reeds Rate that is Due to major John minott

Voted to abate Lewis proters Rate that is Due to major John minott

Voted for the Inhabetants of Said Town to meet at Oliver Barrons Esq on Thursday the 5 Instant at one oClock in the afternoon & also on Friday the 6th Instant at one oClock in the afternoon to give in unto the assessors of S Town their income

Voted that Said Inhabetants Should meet at Mr Phinehas Chamberlins on monday next one oClock afternoon and at Mr Benjamin Butterfield on Tuesday next at one oClock in the afternoon to give in their Income unto the assessors of their income in order for the assessar of S Town to Tax S Inhabetants of S Town to the Town & minister & high way Rates

Voted To adjourn the other articles as the meeting now Stands til the annel meeting in may next then said articles was adjourned

Ebenezer Bridge moderator of S meety

Recorded By Ebenezer proter Town Clerk

10 it was ordered by the Selectmen of Chelmsford April 4th 1787 =
Town treasurer Should pay out of the Town money
to mr Joseph Richardson the Sum of Eighteen Shillings
it being for Richardson keeping Writing School Two
weeks at the North End of Town he began the 6th day of March
last the Last winter past £0:18:0

By order of the Selectmen Ezariah Procter Town Clerk

Chelmsford April 4th 1787
it was ordered By the Selectmen that mr Samuel Perham
Town treasurer Should pay out of the Town money to
mr Joseph Richardson the Sum of Sixteen Shillings it being
for said Richardson keeping a Writing School four weeks last winter
at mr Simeon Stevens House which he began the 6th of
February Last and Ended the 31st of march last past £0:16:0

By order of the Selectmen Ezariah Procter Town Clerk.

Chelmsford April 4th 1787 -
it was ordered By the Selectmen that mr Samuel perham
Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Town money
to mr Joseph Richardson the Sum of one pound Eighteen
Shillings it being for said Richardson keeping a Writing
School £1:18:0:0

By order of the Selectmen Ezariah Procter Town Clerk

Middlesex ss To mr Isaac Chamberlin one of the Constables of the
Town of Chelmsford in the County of middlesex —— Greating
said In the name of the Commonwealth of massachusetts ——
you are hearby Required forthwith to warn all the Freeholders and
others Inhabetants in said Town in your ward qualifyed by law
to Vote to Assemble at the meeting house in said Chelmsford on
monday the fourteenth Day of may next ensuing at one of the
Clock in the after noon ——

1ly Then and their for to Town to Elect & Depute one meet person to
Serve for and Represent said Town at a Grate & General Court which
shall Be Convened held and kept at the State house in Boston
on the thirtyeth Day of may next ensuing and so from Session
to Session agreeable to the Constitution of said Commonwealth —

2ly for the Town to hear a List Drawn by the Selectmen to Serve as
Jurormen for the year ensuing and to Exempt of the same as the
Town may think proper ——

3ly at the Request of mr Jesse Stevens mr Silas parker Nathel
Chamberlin & others to se if the Town will allow the Solgers that
went from this Town the Last winters past under General Lincon
any Consideration for their Servis as other Towns have Done
or to act any thing their on as the Town may think proper

4ly To se if the Town will allow peter procter a Considerable Sum of mon
which he hath Demanded of the Selectmen for a Receipt which mr Josep
Haywood Gave him of a Large Sum of paper money which said
haywood Received of him for a part of his pay for his Servis in the
army in Some years past or for the Town to act any thing theiron
ther they may think proper ——

5ly At the Request of Capt Joseph Stevens mr Isaac Chamberlin
and others to se if the Town Shingle the Roof of the meeting

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house or to act anything relating thereunto that the Town may
think proper
Hear of this not and make Return of this warrant with
your Doings thereon unto the Town Clerk some time before
the time appointed for said meeting
Dated at Chelmsford this Twenty Eight Day of April A D 1787
By order of the Selectmen Azariah Procter Town Clerk

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middlesex in obedience to the within warrent I have warned &
ordered to warn all the Freeholders and other inhabitants in
my ward to assemble at time and place & for the purposes
within mentioned } Jacob Chamberlain } Constable
Chelmsford may 14th 1787. } of Chelmsford

Chelmsford May 14th 1787
at annual Publick Town meeting of the Freeholders and
other Inhabitants of said Town being Legally
warned and Regularly Assembled on the Day
above said then said Inhabitance Proceeded
as follows Viz

Voted For and made Choice of major John minott to
Serve for and Represent the Town at a grate and
general Court Convened held & kept at the State house
in Boston on the thirty eth Day of may instant in the
County of Suffolk the year ensuing

Voted To Except of the persons as the names are sorted
and put in to the Boxes Both of the Superror
in Inferor Boxes for the year ensuing

Voted To allow the Solgers that went from this Town under
General Lincon the Last winters Expedition one Dollar
to Each man as a reward for their Servis

Voted To Chuse a Committe to Examine into the article
Relative to peter procters Demand of the Selectmen
for the sum of money which he paid to mr Joseph
Haywood that he hath got a Receipt for against Mr
haywood

Voted and made Choice of mr Thomas marshall Lieut Daniel
procter Lieut Jacob parker to be a Committe for the
above purpose

Voted not to Shingle the Roof of the meeting house

Voted to give the Representative the following instructions
Voted that the said Representative Should Vote against any proceedings
of paper money being made the year ensuing

then the meeting was Dismissed

Ebenezer Bridge moderator of s^d meeting

Recorded By Azariah procter Town Clerk

12 Middlesex ss To mr Thomas Marshall one of
The Constables of the Town of Chelmsford in
the County of Middlesex — greating —
Scald In The name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts
you are hearby Required to Levy and Collect of
the Several Persons named in the List hearwith
Committed unto you Each one his perportion therein
Set Down of the Sumtotal of Such List it Being
a part of a Tax or assesment agread upon and granted
by the Inhabetants of Said Town of Chelmsford
Thegerlerly assembled at anuel meeting on the fifth
Day of march one thousand Seven hundred and Eighty
Seven for the Support of the Gospel ministry in
Said Town the present year part of the Tax is for
the yous of Repearing the meeting house & Ringing
the Bell & Sweping the meeting house and you are
and you are to Deliver and pay unto mr Samuel Perhas
Treasurer of Said Town or to his Successor in in Said
office. all Such Sums which you Shall So Levy and
Collect and you are to pay to Said Treasurer The whole
of the Sumtotal Set Down in Said List and make up your
accounts with Said Treasurer on or Before the first
Day of march next Insuing and you are to pay
Said Treasurer the Said Sums as Follows Viz
The one half of Said Sums at or Before the First Day
of September next Insuing and the other half of Said
Sum at or before the First Day of march next
Insuing and if any person or persons Shall neglect
or Refuse to make payment of the Sum or Sums
which he or they are assessed in Said List to Destrain
the goods or Chattles of Such persons To the Vallue
Thereof and the Destraintes So Taken you are to
keep for the Space of four Days at the Cost and
Charge of the owner and if he or they Shall not
pay the Sums So assessed within the Said four
Days then you are to Sel at publick Vandue
The Destraintes So Taken for the payment thereof
with the Cost and Charges First giving forty Eight
hours notice of Such Sale by posting up
advertisements their in Some publick place
in the Town or Destricte or plantation —

Carried up

as the Cause may be and the over plus Arrears By Said Sale if any Their be besides the Sums Assessed and the nessesary Charges of Taking & Keeping the Destresh you are Immediately to Restore to the owner and for want of goods and Chattles whereon to make Distresses besides your Wearing Imployments nessesary for his trade or occupation best of the pleasnessesary for the Cultivation of his improved Lands armes Utensiles for house keeping nessesary for hupholding Life Bedding & apparel nessesary for himself and Family for the Space of Fourteen Days you are you are to take the Goddey of Such persons so Refuseing or neglecting and him or them Commit unto the Common Goald of the Same County there to Remain until he pay the Same or Such a part thereof as Shall not be be abated by the assessors for the time being or the Court of General Sessions of the peace for the Said County

Given under Your hands and Seals this Twenty ninth Day of may one thousand Seven hundred & Eighty Seven

The fore going is a true Copy of an orignal warrant Delivered To Mr Thomas marshall one of The Constables of Said Town of Chelmsford for him to Collect Examined and Compared by Azariah prater Town Clerk

Azariah prater
Moses Davis
Samuel Perham
} Assessors for Chelmsford

This Following Assesment was made by the Assessors of the Town of Chelmsford This twenty ninth Day of may one thousand Seven hundred & Eighty Seven for the Support of the Gospel ministry in Said Town the ensuing year

William	Adams	2 : 9	0 4 10 2	0 9 : 9 2	0 7 4 : 2
William	Bowers	5 : 6	0 : 1 : 11 : 2	0 : 0 : 0 : 0	0 7 : 5 : 2
Benja	Butterfield	5 : 6	0 : 11 : 10 : 1	0 : 0 : 0 : 0	0 17 : 4 : 1
Simeon	Blodget	2 : 9	0 : 8 : 1 : 2	0 2 : 7 : 3	0 13 : 5 : 1
Samll	Butterfield	2 : 9	0 : 3 : 3 : 0	0 : 0 : 0 : 0	0 - 6 - 0 - 0
Francies	Bowers	2 : 9	0 : 5 : 7 : 2	0 : 0 : 0 : 0	0 = 8 : 4 = 2
Samgt	Benjamin Butterfield	2 : 9	0 9 9	0 1 : 0 : 1	0 13 : 6 : 1

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17	John	mears	2	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	9	0
	Jonathan	Farmer	2	9						0	2	9	0
	Jones	Spaulding	2	9						0	2	9	0
	Henry	Richardson of Pelham								0	1	4	1
	Samll	Richardson of Pelham								0	3	8	0
	Rebeckah	Rogers of Billerica								0	3	3	0
2dd	Isaac	Harris of Billerica								0	2	10	0
	Fletcher	Keyes of Pelham								0	1	4	1
	Jonathan	Pollard of Billerica								0	0	7	3
Recd	Joseph	Foote of Lingfield								0	2	7	2
	Levi	Wilder of Lunkester								0	1	0	0
	Joseph	Tyler of Reading								0	8	7	3

£ 54:7:1:1

Sum total Errors Excepted

Azariah Forster, Moses Davis, Samuel Perham } Assessors of Chelmsford

The foregoing is a True of the origenal List Committed to mr Thomas marshal one of the Constables for the year 1786 for him to Collect Examined and Compared by Azariah Forster Town Clerk

Middlesex ss To mr Isaac Chamberlin one of the Constable of the Town of Chelmsford in the County of middlesex Greating

Seald In the name of the Commonwealth of massachusetts

you are Required to Levy and Collect of the Several persons named in the List herewith Committed unto you Each one their Respective porportion therein Set Down of the Sum total of Said Said List it Being a part of a Tax or assessment agreed upon and Granted By the Inhabitants of Said Town of Chelmsford Regularly assembled at anual meeting on the eighth Monday in March

one thousand Seven hundred & Eighty Seven for the Support of the Gospel ministry in Said Town the present year part of Said Tax is for the Town of Repairing meting house & Sweeping the meeting house Ringing the Bell and you are to Deliver and pay in unto Samuel perham Treasurer of Said Town or to his Successor in Said office all Such Sums as you Shall so Levy and Collect ~~or Receive~~ and you are to pay to Said Treasurer the whole of the Sum total Set Down in Said List and make up your accounts with Said Treasurer on or before the first Day of march next ensuing and you are to pay the Said Treasurer the Said Sums as follows viz —— the one half of Said Sums at or before the first Day of September next ensuing and the other half of Said Sums at or before the first day of march next ensuing and if any person Shall neglect or Refuse to make payment of the Sum or Sums which he or they are assessed in Said List to Distrain the goods or Chattels of Such persons to the Vallue Their of and the Distresses So Taken you are to keep for the Space of four Day at the Cost and Charge of the owners and if he or they Shall not pay the Sums So assessed within the Said four Days then you are to Sel at publick Vandue the Distresses so Taken for the payment thereof with the Cost and Charges first giving forty Eight hours notice of Such Sale by posting up advertizements Their in Some publick place in the Town District or plantation as the Case may be and the over plus arriving by Said Sale if any There be beside the Sums assessed and the nessary Charges of Taking and keeping you are Emeadiatly to Restore to the owner and for want of goods and Chattels whereon to make Distres besides Tools and Employments nessasary of his Trade or occupation Beasts of the plow nessary for the Cultivation of his improved Lands arms Clothing for house keeping nessasary for his holding Life Bedding and apparel nessasary for him and family for the Space of twelve Days you are to Take the Bodey of Such persons So Refusing or neglecting and him or them Commit to the Common goal of the Said County there to Remain until he pay the Same or Such part thereof as Shall not not be abated by the assessors for the time being or the Court of General Session of the peace for the Said County

{ Maricah Wrote / moses Davis / Samuel perham } Assessors for Chelmsford

19 This following Assesment was made By the assessors of the Town of Chelmsford this Twenty ninth Day of may one thousand Seven hundred and Eighty Seven for the Supply of the Gospel ministry in s^d Town the present year

			Pole	Real	person	Sum total
	Jonas	Adams	2 9	0 8 8	3 0 0 8 3	0 12 2 1
	Joseph	Adams		0 9 2 2	0 0 0 0	0 11 4 2
Capt	Abel	Adams	2 9	0 10 4 3	0 0 2 2	0 13 4 1
	Benja	Adams	2 9	0 7 4 2	0 0 9 3	0 10 11 1
Sargt	Samuel	Adams	2 9	0 5 10 2	0 0 0 0	0 8 7 2
	Thomas	Adams	2 9	0 12 10 2	0 0 2 1	0 4 9 3
	Joseph	Adams junr	2 9	0 9 2 2	0 0 5 3	0 12 5 1
	Jeramiah	Abbot	2 9	0 3 3 0	0 0 0 0	0 6 0 0
	Nathan	Ames	2 9			
wido	Joanna	Abbot	0 0	0 2 10 3	0 0 0 0	0 2 10 0
	Oliver	Barron Esqr	5 6	0 19 6	0 0 3 6	0 1 8 6 0
	Ebenezer	Bridge Esqr	2 9	0 11 8 2	0 3 3 0	0 17 8 2
agt	William	Bridge	2 9	0 3 0 1	0 0 0 0	0 5 9 1
	John	Byam	2 9	0 4 0 3	0 0 9 3	0 7 7 2
	Joel	Barrett	5 6	0 12 1 1	0 2 5 1	1 0 0 2
wido	Lucy	Byam	0 0	0 3 3 0	0 0 8 3	0 3 11 3
	Amos	Byam	2 9	0 8 1 2	0 0 0 0	0 10 10 2
Doctr	John	Bettyes	5 6	0 6 10 0	0 0 0 0	0 12 4 0
Deacon	Aaron	Chamberlin	8 3	0 11 3 0	0 0 0 0	0 19 6 0
	Phinehas	Chamberlin	2 9	0 12 2 0	0 1 11 2	0 16 10 2
	Jacob	Chamberlin	5 6	0 11 4 2	0 0 0 0	0 16 10 2
	Isaac	Chamberlin	5 6	0 8 5 1	0 0 0 0	0 13 11 1
	Aaron	Chamberlin junr	2 9	0 3 9 1	0 0 4 0	0 6 10 1
	Samuel	Chamberlin	2 9	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	0 2 9 0
Sargt	Thomas	Davis	2 9	0 5 0 3	0 0 2 1	0 8 0 0
	Ebenezer	Frost	8 3	0 13 4 2	0 1 6 0	1 3 1 2
	John	Freeland	2 9	0 9 9 0	0 0 1 0	0 12 6 0
	Josiah	Foster	2 9	0 2 2 0	0 0 6 1	0 5 5 1
wido	Grace	Fletcher	0 0	0 8 8 0	0 2 2 3	0 10 10 3
Capt	Benjamin	Fletcher	2 9	0 16 9 2	0 0 11 2	1 0 16 0

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22	Elezebeth	parkhurst	0	0	04	6	3	0	9	2	0	6	4	1
	Sum total	Error	Excepted					£			45	12	10	3

Atariah Worster
Moses Davis
Samuel Perham
} Assessors of Chelmsford

The foure going is True Copy of orgenal List Committed to mr Isaac Chamberlin one of the Constables for the Town of Chelmsford for the year 1787 for him to Collect
Examined and Compeared By Atariah Worster Town Clerk

Chelmsford June 11th 1787
it was ordered By the Selectmen that mr Samuel perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Towns money to mr jacob Spaulding the Sum of Six Shillings which the Town Voted to give Spaulding at the anuel meeting in in may Last as a Bounty for his Servis in the Laste vinties Expedetion under General Lincon ---- for 6 0 0
By order of the Selectmen Atariah worster Town Clerk

Chelmsford June 11th 1787
it was ordered By the Selectmen that mr Samuel perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Towns money to mr Abijha Crosman the Sum of four pounds four Shillings it Being for said Crosmans keeping a Riting School Six weeks and for Bording him Self while keeping said School at mr Jonathen Adams the Last winter past ---- £4 4 0

By order of the Selectmen Atariah worster Town Clr

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Chelmsford June 6th 1787

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Eames
per heirs Town Treasurer should pay to the
Revd mr Ebenezer Bridge out of the money that
was granted at the anuel meeting in march last
for the Support of the Gospel ministry in said
Town the present year the Sum of twenty
pounds it being for one quater Salery which
began the First of march last and Ended
the first of June Instant — £20 0 0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah Proctor Town
Clerk

Middlesex ss To mr Thomas marshall one of the
Constables of the Town of Chelmsford in the
County of middlesex —— Greeting ——

Seald In the name of the Commonwealth of massachusetts
you are hearby Required Forthwith to warn all
The Freeholders and other Inhabitants in said Town
in your ward qualifyed by Law to Vote to assemble
at the meting house in said Chelmsford on Tuesday
the Twenty Eighth Day of August at Two of the Clock
in the after noon ——————————

1 ly Then and their for the Town to Grant Such
a Sum of money as may be thought needfull
to pay the Revd mr Ebenezer Bridge the
Intrest money which the Town Voted to make up to
him agreable to a Vote which was pussed at the
anuel meeting in march Last or for the Town to act
any thing their on that they may think proper

2 ly at the Request of mr David Dunforth To See if the Town
will abate The Following persons Rates which was
Taxed in said Dunforths List — — —

Turn over ——

2dly Walter Howard Rates John Flood Rates
Simeon Small Rates Artimus Spaulding Rates
Zachariah Richardson Rates Henry moor Rates
Jorge nelsen Rates or for the Town to act any
thing their on that they may think proper —

3dly To See if the Town will make up to Mr Jesse warren
the intrest of his money by his paying the Solgers
for their Servis in the Continantal army and lying
out of his money for Some Considerable time
or for the Town to act any thing their on that
they may think proper — — — — —

4dly To See if the Town will abate Simeon Smalls
Rates which are yet Due to Some of the Constables
of Said Town for Some years past or for the Town
to act any thing their on that they may think
proper — — — — —

5dly To See if the Town will abate Ebnathan Sheerins
Rates which he was Taxed for one head in Gueral
Rates in Some years past which are yet Due to
Some of the Constables of Said Town or for the Town
to act any thing their on that they may think proper

Hear of Fail not and make Return of this warrant
with your Doing their on unto the Town Clerk Some
time before the time appointed for Said meeting
— — — — —

Dated at Chelmsford this thirteenth Day of August A D 1789
By order of the Selectmen Azariah Prentice Town Clerk

I have warned and gardered to warn all the Freehol
ders and other Inhabetants in my ward to meet at
time and place within Written and for the purpose within
mentioned
Chelmsford 28th of August 1789 Thomas merryshall } Constable
the above is a True Return of the warrant } for
Attest Azariah Prentice Town Clerk } Chelmsford

Middlesex ss To Mr Jesse Chamberlin one of the
Constables of the Town of Chelmsford in the County
of middlesex — Greeting —

Seald In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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you ar hearby Required forth with to warn all the Freeholders and other Inhabelants in Said Town in your ward qualifyed By Law to Vote to Assemble at the meeting house in Said Chelmsford on Tuesday the Twenty Eighth Day of August instant at two of the Clock in the afternoon ——

1ly Then and their for the Town to Grant Such a Sum of money as may be thought needfull to the order Ebenezer Bridge the Interest money which the Town Voted to make up to him agreeable to a Vote which passed at the anuel meeting in march Last or for the Town to act any thing theiron that they may think proper ——

2ly at the Request of mr David Danforth to See if the Town will abate the Following persons Rates viz walter Hawards Rate John Glodes Rate Simeon Smalles Rate artimus Spaulding Rate Zachariah Richardsons Rate Henry moor Rate Gorge melven Rate or for the Town to act any thing theiron that they may think proper ——

3ly To See if the Town will make up to Lieut Jesse warren the Interest of his money by his paying Some of the Solgers for their Servis in the Continantal army and Lying out of his money for Some Considerable time or for the Town to act any thing theiron that they may think proper ——

4ly To See if the Town will abate Simeon Smalles Rate which are yet Due to Some of the Constables of Said Town for Some years past or for the Town to act any thing theiron that they may think proper ——

5ly To See if the Town will abate Ebenethan Sherwins Rates which he was Taxed for one head in Several Rates in Some years past which are yet Due to Some of the Constables of Said Town or for the Town to act any thing theiron that they may think proper ——

Hear of fail not and make Return of this warrant with your Doings theiron un to the Town Clerk Some time Before the time appointed for Meting ——

Dated at Chelmsford this ~~Thir~~ teenth Day of August A D 1787

By order of the Selectmen Azariah Prater Town Clerk

Chelmsford August 29th 1787

at a publick Town meeting of the Free holders and other Inhabetants of Said Town Being Legally warned and Regerlerly Assembled on the Day above Said then Said Town proceded to publick Town bupines which is as follows viz

Voted For moderator to Regerlate the gouern Dmeeting Ebenezer Bridge Esqr

Voted To Chuse a Committe to Consolidate the orders that was given to the Revd Mr Ebenezer Bridge from the first of January 1777 for his Salery til the first of march 1781. and to see what the Interest amounts to in by the Reson of the Depreciation of paper money un til he Recevd his order for the principle part of the Depriciation Sum

Voted Said Committe Should Consist of three persons

Voted For the above mentioned Committe Azariah prorter moses Davis Samuel peyham

Voted that Said Committe Should make Returns of their proceedings at the next publick Town meetings

Voted to abate walter Hawards Rates Due to Mr David Danforth

Voted to abate John Glods Rates Due to David Danforth

Voted To abate Simeon Smalls Rates that is Due to Mr David Danforth

Voted not to abate artimus Spauldings Rates that is Due To Mr David Danforth

Voted To abate Zatharieah Richardsons Rates that is Due To Mr David Danforth

Voted To abate Henry moor Rates that is yet Due to Mr David Danforth

Voted not to abate gorge melvens Rates that is Due to Mr David Danforth

Voted To Chuse a Committe to Examine in to the article Relating to Lieut Jacob warners Interest money that he Demands of the Town for paying the Solgers and Lying out Some Considerable time

Voted For the Last mentioned Committe Mr David Spaulding Deacon aron Chamberlin Deacon Ebenezer Goold

Voted that Said Comtt Should make Report of their proceedings at the next publick Town meeting

Voted To abate Simeon Smalls Rates that is Due to all the Constables of Said Town

Voted To Adjourn this meeting til the 25th of September next at one oClock in the afternoon then Said meeting was Adjourned

Ebenezer Bridge moderator of D. meting

Recorded By Azariah prorter Town Clerk

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Chelmsford August 29th 1787
it was ordered By the Selectmen that mr Samuel perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Town money to mr Zebulon Spaulding & mr the Sum of Six Shillings which the Town Voted To give Zd Spaulding at the anuel meeting in may Last for his Servis in the Last Winters Expedetion under General Lincon —— £0:6:0
By order of the Selectmen Azariah prentice Town Clerk

Chelmsford August 29th 1787
it was ordered By the Selectmen that mr Samuel Perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Town money to mr Jeramiah warren the Sum of Six Shillings which the Town Voted to give Sd warren at the anuel meeting in may Last for his Servis in the Last winters Expedetion under General Lincon —— £0:6:0
By order of the Selectmen Azariah prentice Town Clerk

Chelmsford August 29th 1787
it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel perham Town treasurer Should pay out of the Town money to mr John Butterfield the Sum of Six Shillings which the Town Voted to give said butterfield for his Servis in the Last winters Expedetion under General Lincon at a publick Town meeting on the fourteenth Day of may Last as his bounty £0:6:0
by order of the Selectmen Azariah prentice Town Clerk

Chelmsford August 29th 1787
it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Town money to mr Aaron Spaulding the Sum of Six Shillings for his bounty in the Last winters Expedition under General Lincon which the Town Voted to give said Spaulding at a anuel meeting on the fourteenth of may Last £0:6:0
By order of the Selectmen Azariah prentice Town Clerk

Chelmsford September 6th 1787

t was ordered By the Selectmen that Mr Samuel Perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Town money to Deacon Aaron Chamberlin the Sum of one Pound four keeping Asa marten when D marten was Vandued of to him in full pay from the 28th of September 1786 til the 1rst of march following for d ... £1.0.0.0

By order of the Selectmen Attest Jonathan marter Town Clerk

Chelmsford September 6th 1787

it was orderd by the Selectmen that Mr Samuel perham Town Treasurer Should pay to the Revd Mr Ebenezer Bridge out of the money that was Granted at the anuel meting in march Last for the Support of the Gospel ministry in Said Town the present yeer the Sum of Twenty pounds it being for one quater Salery which began the 1rst of June Last and Ended the 1rst of September Instant ... £20.0.0.0

By order of the Selectmen Attest Jonathan marter Town Clerk

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Middlesex ss To Mr Thomas marshall one of
The Constables of the Town of Chelmsford in the
County of middlesex —— Greating ——

said

In the name of the Commonwealth of massachusetts

you are hearby Required forthwith to warn all
The freeholders and other Inhabetants in Said Town
in your ward qualifyed by Law to Vote to Assemble at
the meeting house in Said Chelmsford on Tuesday the
Twenty fifth Day of September instant at Two o Clock
in the after noon

Then and their for Said Town to Grant Such a Sum of
money as may be thought needfull to Defray the nessary
Charges which have arisen or may arize in Said Town
The present year as an Addition to that Sum of money
which was granted at the anuel meeting in march Last
for the purpose of Defraying the Charges of Said
Town the present year or for the Town to act any
thing thereon that they may think proper

Hear of fail not and make Return of this
warrant with your Doings thereon unto the
Town Clerk Some time before the time appointed
for Said meeting

Dated at Chelmsford this tenth Day of September AD 1787

By order of the Selectmen Jeariah Procter Town Clerk

—— The Return of the warrant

Chelmsford September 20th 1787
I have warned & en Dewered to warn all my ward
according to the Directions of the within Written warrant
to meett at time and place as within mentioned

Thomas marshall } Constable for Chelmsford

Middlesex ss To Mr Isaac Chamberlin one of the Constables of the Town of Chelmsford in the County of middlesex —— Greeting

Seald

In the name of the Commonwealth of massachusetts you are hearby Required Forthwith to warn all the Freeholders and other Inhabitants in Said Town in your ward to assemble at the meting house in Said Chelmsford who are qualifyed by Law to Vote on Tuesday the Twenty fifth Day of September Instant at Two of the Clock in the after noon

Then and their For Said Town to Grant Such a Sum of money as may be thought needfull to Defray the necessary Charges which have arizen or may arize in Said Town the present year as an addition that Sum of money which was granted at the anuel meeting in march Last for the purpose of Defraying the Charges of Said Town the present year or for the Town to act any thing theiron that they may think proper ——

Hear of Fail not and make Return of this warrant with your Doing theiron unto the Town Clerk Some time before the time appointed for Said meeting

Dated at Chelmsford this tenth Day of September A D 1787

By order of the Selectmen Azariah Prentice Town Clerk

The Return of the warrent from the Constable as follows —

Middlesex ss in obedeance to this warrant I have warned & endevered to warn all the Freeholders and other Inhabitants qualifyed to Vote within my ward to meet at time and place & for the purposes within mentioned

Isaac Chamberlin } Constable for Chelmsford

Chelmsford September 25th 1787

Chelmsford September 24th 1787
at a publick Town meeting of the Freeholders
and other Inhabitants of said Town being
Legally warned and Regularly Assembled on the
Day above said then proceeded as follows

Voted for moderator to govern said meeting Deacon
Aaron Chamberlin
Voted to Adjourn this meeting til Tuesday
the Sixteenth Day of October next ensuing
at Two oClock in the afternoon
then the meeting was adjourned
Voted to Adjourn the publick Town meeting
which stood by an Adjournal from August 28
1787 til September 24 which is on the Day
above said Voted that said meeting should
stand adjourned til Tuesday the 16th Day of
Octr next ensuing at two oClock in the after
noon — then said meeting was adjourned

Recorded by Asariah Wrotten Town Clerk

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Chelmsford September 29th 1787

It was ordered By the Selectmen that mr Samuel Perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Town money to mr Josiah Chamberlin the Following Sums viz

For keeping Hannah Sarnden Six monthes at one Shilling & Six pence pr week which began the first of march last and Ended the first of September instant the Sum of one pound nine Shillings — — — £1:19:0.0

To more For one pare of Shues & for Clothes & for mending Clothes for the Child the Sum of Seven Shillings and Six pence — 0 7 6 0

Sum total £2:6:6.0

By order of the Selectmen Francis Prentice Town Clerk

Chelmsford September 29th 1787

it was ordered By the Selectmen that mr Samuel Perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Towns money To mr Stephen peirce for the Following Sums viz

For keeping Sarah twenty Six weeks at one Shilling & three pence pr week which began the first of march last and Ended the first of September Last Past the Sum of one pound twelve Shillings and ten pence £1-12:10

To more For Clothing which the peirce found for the Sd Sarah the Sum of four Shillings 0:4:0 0

To more For keeping Joannah Sarnden three weeks which Ended in September Last the Sum of Eighteen Shillings — — — 0:18:0.0

£2:14:10:0

By order of the Selectmen Francis Prentice Town Clerk

Chelmsford September 29th 1787

It was ordered By the Selectmen that mr Samuel Perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Towns money the Sum of three pound twelve Shillings to mr Patrick Fleming For keeping a Writing School Two monthes one month at the School house in the middle of the Town and the other month at the north End School house So called the Last winter past £3:12:0:0

By order of the Selectmen Francis Prentice Town Clerk

Chelmsford September 29th 1787
it was Ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel Perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Towns money to mr Nathaniel Harwood the Following Sums viz——

To keeping Lukelay Reed Six monthes at one Shilling & Seven pence pr week which began the fifth of march Last & Ended the Last of August Last past the Sum of two pound one Shilling & Twopence — — — — £2:1:2:0

To more for Clothing which the Said Harwood found for the Said Lukelay while keeping her the Sum of thirteen Shillings & four pence 0:13:4:0

Sum total £2:14:6:0

by order of the Selectmen Azariah prater Town Clerk

Chelmsford September 29th 1787
it was Ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Towns money to mr moses Davis the Sum of Seven pounds twelve Shillings it being for money that the Said Davis advanced to pay a part of a note of hand to Oliver Barron Esqr which he had against Said Town on a final Settlement with him on the fourth of April 1786 as former Treasurer for Said Town that appeared Due against Said Town — — — £7:12:0:0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah prater Town Clerk

Chelmsford September 29th 1787
it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Towns money to moses Davis the Sum of Eight pounds ten Shillings & three pence it being for Simeon Smalls Rates for the year 1781 that was Due to Said Davis which the Town abated at a publick Town meeting on the Twenty Eighth of August 1787 — — — £8:10:3:0

by order of the Selectmen Azariah prater Town Clerk

Chelmsford April 30th 1767

This may Certify that we the Subscribers the Committe from the Town of Chelmsford and the District of Carlisle have met at Westford Corner bounds the Day above said have perambulated the Line & Renewed Bounds betwen the the Town of Chelmsford & the District of Carlisle & their was no Dispute arose betwen us on account of said Bounds on Either Side

Uzen Abbot } Committe from Chelmsford
Daniel Wood }

Asa Carlis
Ephraim Robbins } Committe for Carlisle

Chelmsford October 16th 1787

It was ordered by the Selectmen that m^r Samuel perham Town Treasurer Should Receive of the Town money from ~~the~~ ~~Selectmen~~ ~~of the Town~~ ~~of Chelmsford~~ to ~~the~~ ~~Said Town~~ the sum of Eighteen pound for the use of the Said Town of Chelmsford the Said Treasurer is ordered to pay out the Same for the use of the Town as he Shall have orders from the Selectmen from time to time by orders of the Selectmen £18:0:0

Azariah prentice Town Clerk

Chelmsford October 16th 1787

it was ordered by the Selectmen that m^r Samuel perham Town Treasurer Should Receive of the Selectmen of the Town of Chelmsford the Sum of Two pound fourteen Shillings & Six pence for the use of the Town and the Said Treasurer is Ordered to pay out the Same as he Shall have orders from the Selectmen from time to time £2:14:6:0

By order of the Selectmen

Azariah prentice Town Clerk

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Chelmsford octr 16th 1787

at a publick Town meeting of the Freeholders and other Inhabetants of said Town Being Regularly Assembled on the Day above said by an adjournment from the 25th of September Last to this Instant then said Town proceeded as follows

Voted — for gran Jurreman to go to the next Supreme Judicial Court holden at Cambridge on Last Tuesday of October Instant mr Ephraim Parkhurst

Voted — for petit Jurreman by Drawing out of the Box to go to said Court as abovementioned Lieut Isaac Perkins

Voted — for moderator to govern said meeting Capt Joseph Warren

Voted — To adjourn said meeting til November 5th Next at one of the Clock in the afternoon

then said meeting was adjorned

Recorded by Jeremiah Wardwell Town Clerk

Chelmsford October ye 29 1787

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Town money to Dennes macklaine Six Shillings which the Town Voted to give said mclane as a bounty for his Servis under General Lincon in the Last winters Expedition wh the Town Voted last the anuel meeting in may last . . . £0 6 0 0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah prater Town Clerk

Chelmsford October 29th 1787

it was ordered by the Selectmen that Samuel perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the money that was Granted at the anuel meeting in march Last for the Support of the Gospel ministry in Said Town to mr Abior Herrick the Sum of one pound four Shillings it being for Said herrick Ringing the bell & Sweaping the meeting house & other Sactons Busines from the 20th of march Last to the Twentyeth of September Last past

£1-4-0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah prater Town Clerk

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Middlesex ss Jonas Thomas marshall one of the
Constables of the Town of Chelmsford in the
County of middlesex ——— Greating

In the name of the Commonwealth of massachusetts
you are hearby Required forthwith to warn all
the freeholders and other inhabitants in Said Town
in your ward qualified by Law to Vote to assemble
at the meeting house in Said Chelmsford on monday
the fifth Day of november next ensuing
at two of the Clock in the after noon ———

at the Request of Oliver Barron Esqr Capt Abel
Adams & Lt Daniel Procter and others to See
if the Town will Proceed and build a new meeting
house in Said Town or to act any thing Relating
thereunto as the Town may think proppper ——

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at the Request of mr David moors to See if
the Town will abate Some part of the Taxes which
is now due from him to Some of the Constables
of Said Town or for the Town to act any thing
thereon that they may think proppper ——

hear of fail not and make Return of this
warrant with your doings thereon
unto the Town Clerk Some time before the
time appointed for Said meeting —
Dated at Chelmsford this Eighteenth Day
of october one thousand Seven hundred
and Eighty Seven

In obedience to the within Riter warrant
I have warned & gn Decerned to warn all
my ward to meet at time and Place and
for the purposes with mentioned

Jonas Thomas marshall } Constable for Chelmsford

Chelmsford November 5th 1787

40 Middlesex ss To Mr Isaac Chamberlin one of the
Constables of the Town of Chelmsford in the
County of middlesex ——— Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth of massachusetts
you are hearby Required forthwith to warn all
the Freeholders and other Inhabetants in said
Town in your ward qualifyed by Law to Vote
To assemble at the meeting house in said
Chelmsford on monday the fifth day of
November next ensuing at two of the Clock
in the after noon ———

at the Request of Oliver Barron Esqr Capt Abel
Adams Lieut Daniel Procter and others to See
if the Town will proceed and build a new meeting
house in said Town or to act any thing Relateing
their unto as the Town may think proper —

2dly at the Request of Mr David moves to See if
the Town will Some part of the Taxes which
is now Due from him to Some of the Constables
of said Town or for the Town to act any thing theiron
as they may think proper ———

Hear of Fail not and make Return of this warrant
with your Doings thein on unto the Town Clerk
Some time before the time appointed for said
meeting — — — — — —
Dated at Chelmsford this Eighteenth Day of
October one thousand Seven hundred & Eighty
Seven ———
by order of the Selectmen Azariah prentice Town Clerk

Middlesex ss Chelmsford November 3d 1787 —
in obedience to this warrant I have warned and
Required to warn all the Freeholders and other inhabi-
tants qualifyed by Law to Vote within my ward
to meet at time and place and for the purposes with
in mentioned

Isaac Chamberlin } Constables
for
Chelmsford

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Middlesex ss Chelmsford November 5th 1787

at a publick Town meeting by an adjournment from october the 16th 1787 to the fifth day of this instant November of the freeholders and other inhabetants of said Town being Regularly assembled together for the purposes as follows and then proceeded accordingly viz

Capt Joseph warren being moderator of said meeting

Voted To make an addition to the Committe Relating to the article of mr peter proctor petition to his Demand of said Town

Voted that the addition to abovementioned Committe should Consist of two persons

Voted that Decon Aaron Chamberlin & Capt Samuel Stevens should be the addition to said Com^tt for the above purpose

Voted to adjourn the Report of the Com^tt Relative to peter proctors demand of said Town to the next Town meeting

Voted not to Except of the Committe Report Relating to mr Bridges interest money

Voted ~~to adjourn the Report of the Committe Relating to peter proctor~~ to adjourn the Report of the Committe Relating to Lieut Isaac warrens interest money to the next publick Town meeting

Voted the Sum of one hundred pound to Defray the nessasary Charges arising in said Town the present year as an addition to the Grant of one hundred pounds that was Granted at the annual meeting in march last

Voted for moderator to govern the meeting that is assembled together by the inhabetants of said Town of Chelmsford on the fifth of this instant November Capt Joseph warren then said Town proceeded as follows viz

Voted to Build a new meeting house in said Town

Voted to abate the one half of mr David moors Rate that is due from him to the Constable of said Town

Then the meeting was Dismised

Capt Joseph warren moderator of said meeting

Recorded by Jeremiah Prentice Town Clerk

Chelmsford November 21th 1787

it was ordered By the Selectmen that mr Samuel perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Town money to mr Samuel Chamberlin the Hollow Sums viz

for Sd Chamberlin keeping a writing School one month at mr Thomas Smenthals began the thirteenth Day of Decmber 1786 the Sum of one pound Sixteen Shillings £1:16:0:0

To more for said Chamberlin keeping a writing School at the School house in the neck So Called Two monthes which began the Sixteenth of January 1787 the Sum of three pound twelve Shillings it Being in full for three monthes Schooling which Sd Chamberlin keept 3:12:0:0

Sum total £ 5:8:0:0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah prorter Town Cle

Chelmsford November 21th 1787

it was ordered By the Selectmen that mr Samuel perham Town treasurer Should pay out of the Towns money to mr Willard parker the Sum of three Shillings it Being for a part of Said neckes highway Rate which was worked out and was not Crowed by the Surveyer of high ways in the year 1787 £0:3:0:0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah prorter Town Clerk

Chelmsford November 21th 1787

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Towns money to mr Jesse Stevens 6s Shillings which the Town Voted to give Sd Stevens at the anual Town meeting in may Last as one of the Solgers in the Last winter Expedition under General Lincon which was for the Town of Chelmsford £0:6:0:0

By order Selectmen Azariah prorter Town Clerk

Chelmsford November 21th 1787

it was ordered by the Selectmen that Samuel perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Towns money to mr Samuel Stevens 6s six Shillings which the Town Voted to give Sd Stevens at the anual Town meting in may Last as one of the Solgers under General Lincon in the Last winter Expedition warrant for the Town of Chelmsford £0:6:0:0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah prorter Town Cle

Middlesex ss To mr Isaac Chamberlin one of
the Constables of the Town of Chelmsford
in the County of middlesex — Greeting
In the name of the Commonwealth of massachusetts
you are hearby Required to Levy and Collect of
the Persons named in the List herewith
Committed unto you Eachone his Respective
perportion therein Set Down of the Sum total of
Such List it Being a part of a Tax or assessment
agreed upon and granted by the Inhabitants of
Said Town of Chelmsford Regerly assembled
at annual meeting on the fifth Day of march
one thousand seven hundred & Eighty Seven
and also a part of a Tax agreed upon and
granted at a publick Town meeting on the
fifth Day of november one thousand
Seven hundred & Eighty Seven by the
Inhabetants of Said Town Regerlerly on Said
Day as an addition to Said Tax which was
granted at the annual meeting in march march
Last Said Taxes is for to Defray the Charges
Arising in Said Town the present year and
you are to Deliver and pay in unto mr Samuel
Perham Treasurer of Said Town or to his Successor
in Said office as Treasurer all Such Sums which
you Shall So Levy and Collect and you are to
pay to Said Treasurer the whole of the Sum total
Set Down in Said List and make up your accounts
with Said Treasurer on or before the first Day
of march next Ensuing and you are to pay Said
Treasurer the Said Sums as Aforesaid viz
The one half of Said Sums at or before the last
Day of December next Ensuing and the other half
of Said Sums at or before the first Day of march
next Ensuing and if any Person Shall neglect
or Refuse to make payment of the Sum or
Sums which he or they are assessed in Said List
to Destrain the Goods or Chattles of Such
Persons to the Value thereof and the Distress

So Taken you are to keep hor the Space of four Days at the Cost and Charge of the owner and if the or they Shall not pay the Same So assessed within the said four Days then you are to Sell at publick Vendue the Destresses So Taken for the payment their of with the Cost and Charges first giving forty-Eight hours notice of such Sale by posting up advertisements their of in some publick place in the Town or District or plantation as the Cause may be and the over plus Arriseing by Said Sale if any their be besides the Sums assessed and the nesasary of Takeing and keeping the Dests you are Immediately to Restore to the owner and for want of good and Chattle whereon to make Destres besides Tools or Implements nesasary for his Trade or occupation both of the new nesasary for the Cultivation of his improved Land arms Cullentils for house keeping nesasary for upholding life Bedding & apparel nesasary for himself and family for the Space of twelve Days you are to take the bodey of such persons so Refuseing or neglecting and him or them Commit unto the Common Gaol of the Same County their to Remain until he or they the Same or Such Such apart their of as Shall not be abated by the assessors for the time being or the Court of General Session of the peace for the Said County

Given under our hands and Seals this Twenty Second Day of November one thousand Seven hundred & Eighty Seven

The Above going is a true Copy of an order Now Delivered to me Isaac Chamberlin Collector of the Constable of Said Town for the year 1787 for him to Collect

Azariah Sprague
Moses Davis
Samll Dexter

assessors of Chelmsford

16 This following assessment was made by the assessors of the Town of Chelmsford This Twenty Second Day of november one thousand Seven hundred and Eighty Seven to Defray the Charges arrisen in Said Town the present year

			Poll	Real	personal	Sum Total
	Jonas	Adams	0 4 8	0 16 0 3	1 3 0	1 2 0 2
	Joseph	Adams	0 9 4	0 17 0 0	0 0 0 0	1 6 4 0
	Jonathan	Adams	0 4 8	0 12 0 0	1 2 1	0 17 10 1
Sarjt	John	Adams	0 4 8	0 7 4 2	0 0 9 1	0 12 10 1
Capt	Ethel	Adams	0 4 8	0 19 2 1	0 0 4 2	1 4 2 3
	Benja	Adams	0 4 8	0 13 7 2	0 1 6 0	0 19 9 2
	John	Adams jun	0 4 8	0 6 7 2	0 1 0 3	0 12 4 1
Clerk	Samuel	Adams	0 4 8	0 10 9 3	0 0 0 0	0 15 5 3
	Thomas	Adams	0 4 8	0 3 6 0	0 0 4 2	0 8 5 3
	Robert	Adams	0 4 8	0 6 3 3	0 0 0 0	0 10 11 3
Sarjt	Timothy	Adams	0 4 8	0 7 4 3	0 0 0 0	0 12 0 2
	Joseph	Adams jun	0 4 8	0 17 0 0	0 0 10 2	1 2 6 2
	Jeramh	Abbot	0 4 8	0 6 0 0	0 0 0 0	0 10 8 0
	Nathan	Ames	0 1 8	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	0 4 8 0
wido	Joannah	Abbot	0 0 0	0 5 4 2	0 0 0 0	0 5 4 2
	Oliver	Barron Esq	0 9 4	1 16 0 0	0 6 5 1	2 1 9 1
	Ebenezer	Bridge Esq	0 4 8	1 1 7 0	0 6 0 0	1 6 3 2
	William	Bridge	0 4 8	0 5 6 3	0 0 0 0	0 10 2 3
	John	Byam	0 9 4	0 7 6 0	0 1 6 0	0 18 4 0
	Joel	Barrett	0 9 4	1 2 11 2	0 4 6 0	0 16 9 2
wido	Lucy	Byam	0 0 0	0 6 0 0	0 1 3 3	0 7 3 3
	Amos	Byam	0 4 8	0 15 0 0	0 10 0 0	0 19 8 0
Dr to	John	Bettys	0 9 4	0 12 7 2	0 0 0 0	1 1 11 0
Deacon	Josiah	Byam	0 4 8	0 7 6 0	0 0 7 2	0 12 9 2
	Aaron	Chamberlin	0 14 0	1 0 9 0	0 0 0 0	1 14 9 0
	Phinehas	Chamberlin	0 4 8	1 2 8 1	0 3 7 2	1 10 11 3
	Benjamin	Chamberlin	0 4 8	0 14 4 2	0 1 9 3	1 0 10 1
	Jacob	Chamberlin	0 9 4	1 1 0 0	0 0 0 0	1 10 4 0
	Isaac	Chamberlin	0 9 4	0 15 6 3	0 0 0 0	1 4 10 3
	John	Crosby	0 4 8	0 1 2 1	0 0 0 0	0 5 10 1
	Aaron	Chamberlin	0 4 8	0 6 11 1	0 0 7 2	0 12 2 3

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Middlesex ss To mr Thomas Marshall one
of the Constables of the Town of Chelmsford in
The County of middlesex Greeting
In The name of the Commonwealth of massachusetts
you are hearby Required to Levy and Collect of
The Several persons named in the List hearwith
Committed unto you Each one his Respective
perportion therein Set Down of the Sum total
of Such List it being a part of a Tax or Assessment
agreed upon and granted by the Inhabetants of
Said Town of Chelmsford Regularly assembled
at an annual meeting on the Fifth Day of
march one thousand Seven hundred & Eighty
Seven and also a part of a Tax or assessment
agreed upon & grant at a publick Town meeting
on the Fifth Day of november one thousand
Seven hundred & Eighty Seven by the Inhabetants
of Said Town Regularly assembled on Said Day
as an addition to Said Tax which was granted
at an annual meeting in march Last Said Tax
is For to Defray the Charges Arriseing in
Said Town the present year and you are to
Deliver and pay in unto mr Samuel perkins
Treasurer of Said Town or to his Successor in
Said office as Treasurer all Such Sums as you
Shall so Levy and Collect and you are to pay
to Said Treasurer the whole of the Sum total Set
Down in Said List and make up your
accounts with Said Treasurer on or before the
Thirst Day of march next Insuing and you
are to pay to Said Treasurer the Said Sums as
follows viz
and you are to pay the one half of the Said Sums at
or before the Last Day of December next Insuing
and the other half of Said Sums at or before the Thirst
Day of march next Insuing and if any person Shall
neglect or Refuse to make payment of the Sum or
Sums which he or they are Assessed in Said List to
Destrain the Goods or Chattles of Such person to the
Value thereof and the Distresses So Taken you are to
keep for the Space of four Days at the Cost
and charges

and Charg of the owner and if he or they Shall not pay the Sum So assessed within the Said Town Days then you are to Sell at publick Vandue the Goods for the payment thereof with the Cost and Charges first giving forty Eigh hours notice of Such Sale by posting up advertisements thereof in Some publick peace in the Town or District or peamtation as the Cause may be and the ouer peuse Arrizeing by Said Sale if any there be Left after the Sums assessed and the Charges of Taking and keeping the Destresses you are Emediately to Restore to the owner and for want of goods and Chattles whereon to make Destress besides Tools or Emplyments nessesary for his Trade or occupation best of the plow nesasary for the Cultivation of his ground provided Land arms Vitenfall for his house keeping nesasary for upholding life bedding and Appeare nesasary for him Self and family for the Space of twelve Days you are to Take the Boddy of Such persons So Refuseing or neglecting and him or them Commit unto the Common Gaold of the Same County there to Remain until he pay the Same or Such a part Shall not be abated by the assessors for the time being or the Court of Generall Sessions of the peace for the Said County

Given under our hand and Seales this Twenty Second Day of november in the year of one thousand seven hundred and Eighty Seven

Izaeuh Prouter
moses Davis
Samuel perkins

assessors for Chelmsford

the Foure going is a true Copy of an origenal warrant Delivered to me Thomas marshall one of the Constable of Said Town for the year 1787 for him to Collect

This Following assessment was made by the assessors of the Town of Chelmsford This Twenty Second Day of november one thousand seven hundred and Eighty Seven to Defray the Charges arizeing in Said Town the present year

		Polls	Real	Personal	Summ Total
William	Adams	0-4-8	0-9-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-13-8-0
William	Bowers	0-9-4	0-3-7-2	0-0-0-0	0-12-11-2
Benja	Butterfield	0-4-8	1-1-10-0	0-0-0-0	1-6-6-2
Benja	Butterfield	0-4-8	0-19-0-0	0-4-10-2	1-4-6-2
Samuel	Blodget	0-4-8	0-6-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-10-8-0

	Francis	Bowers	0	4	8	0	10	4	0	0	0	0	0	14	0	2
Sarjt	Benjamin	Butterfield	0	4	8	0	18	0	4	1	10	2	1	4	6	2
	William	Batchelder	0	4	8	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	8	0
	Simeon	Blodget Jnr	0	4	8	0	15	0	0	1	7	2	1	1	3	2
	Luke	Bowers	0	4	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	8	0
	John	Butterfield	0	4	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	8	0
Lieut	Timothy	Clerk	0	4	8	0	18	4	2	0	18	0	2	1	0	2
Lieut	Isaac	Clerk	0	4	8	0	18	4	2	0	0	0	1	3	0	2
	Joseph	Chambers	0	4	8	0	3	7	2	0	1	1	2	0	9	0
	Henry	Coburn	0	9	4	0	11	10	2	0	1	1	2	1	2	4	0
	Daniel	Coburn	0	4	8	0	7	2	1	8	1	2	1	0	13	0	2
	Nathan	Coburn	0	4	8	0	9	4	2	0	0	0	0	14	0	2
	Thomas	Chamberlin	0	4	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	8	0
	Elinor	Cory	0	4	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	8	0
	Levi	Daken	0	4	8	0	14	2	1	0	0	0	0	18	10	1
	James	Dunn	0	4	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	1	0	7	1
	John	Dunn	0	4	8	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	8	0
	James	Dunn Jnr	0	4	8	0	12	0	0	0	4	4	2	0	18	0	2
Widow	Rebekah	Dutton	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	11	1	0	6	11	1
	moses	Davis	0	9	4	1	7	3	3	0	3	2	1	1	19	10	0
	Joshua	Davis	0	4	8	0	16	9	3	0	0	0	1	1	5	0
	John	Dutton	0	4	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	8	0
	Ruben	Davis	0	4	8	1	16	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	8	0
	Timothy	Dutton	0	4	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	8	0
	Samuel	Dexter Esq	0	4	8	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	13	8	0
Capt	Joseph	Emerson	0	4	8	0	14	4	2	0	0	0	0	19	0	2
	Josiah	Fletcher	0	4	8	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	8	0
	Samuel	Fletcher	0	9	4	0	12	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0
Capt	John	Frost	0	9	4	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	13	4	0
Clerk	William	Fletcher	0	9	4	0	14	1	2	0	0	0	1	3	5	2
	Joseph	Farror	0	4	8	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	8	0
Engin	Josiah	Fletcher	0	4	8	0	12	0	0	0	0	3	8	0	16	11	2
	Matthews	Fletcher	0	4	8	0	6	7	2	0	0	0	0	11	3	2
	Levi	Fletcher	0	4	8	0	4	9	3	0	0	0	0	9	5	3
	Josiah	Fletcher Jnr	0	4	8	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	8	4	8	0
	Andrew	Fletcher	0	9	4	1	14	2	1	0	0	8	1	2	4	2	2
	Shubael	Fletcher	0	4	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	8	0
	Joseph	Fletcher	0	4	8	0	12	7	2	0	2	0	1	0	19	3	2
	Andrew	Fletcher Jnr	0	4	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	8	0
	George	Frederick	0	4	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	8	0

	John	Farmer	0 1 8	0=1=9 3	0 0 0 0	0-6-5-3	
	Jacob	Foster	0 9 4	0=10=4=2	0 0 0 0	0=19=8=2	
	Jonas	Farror	0 4 8	0-0 0 0	0 0 0 0	0 4 8-0	
Deacon	Ebenezer	Gould	0 4 8	0-10 4=2	0 4-1-2	0-16-2-2	
	Benja	Gould	0 4-8	0-10=4 2	0 0 0 0	0=15=0=2	
	John	Hoode	0 4-8	0 0 0-0	0 0 0 0	0-4=8=0	
	Jacob	Haraan	0-4-8	0=17=4=2	0 2-7-2	1=4-8-0	
Clerk	Samuel	Haward	0-14-0	1=11=9=3	0 8=6=3	2-4-4-2	
	Willard	Haward	0 4=8	0-17=4-2	0 2=7=2	1-4=8-0	
	Thomas	Haley	0-9-4	0 3=7=2	0 0 0 0	0=12=11=2	
	Jacob	Haward Jn	0 4 8	0-0=0-0	0 0 9=0	0=5=5=0	
	Samuel	Lufkin	0 4-8	0-0 0 0	0 0 6-0	0 5-2=0	
	Samuel	Lamey	0-4-0	0 3=7=2	0=0=0=0	0 8-3-2	
	Benja	mclucn	0 4-8	0-12-0-0	0 0 0 0	1=2=8-0	
Widow	Joannah	mores	0 0 0	0 11-2-1	0-1-6-3	0=12=9=0	
	Joseph	mores	0-4-8	0 9-0-0	0 0 0 0	0=13=8=0	
	Samuel	marshall Jr	0-9-4	0 13-2=1	0 0 0 0	1=2-6-0	
	Isaac	marshall	0-4=8	0-6=11=1	0 0 0 0	0=11=7=1	
	Joseph	Peirce	0 4-8	0=10=1=1	0 0 0 0	0-14=9-1	
	Stephen	Peirce	0-4-8	0-0-0-0	0 0 0 0	0-4=8-0	
	Silas	Peirce 2d	0-9-4	0=10=1=1	0 0 0 0	0=19=5=1	
	Stephen	Peirce 3d	0=4-8	0-7=2=1	0 0 0 0	0-11=10=1	
	Benjamin	Parker	0 4 8	1=10=7=2	0=5-7=2	2-0-11=0	
Sergt	James	Parkhurst	0=0-0	0-14=4-2	0 0 9-0	0 15-3-3	
Ensign	Philip	Parker	0 4=8	1=18=4-2	0=9=1	2=3=9=2	
	Robert	peirce Jn	0=4=8	0-0-0-0	0 0 11=1	0-5-7=1	
Widow	Elizabeth	Peirce	0-4 8	0-2-2-1	0-0 3-0	0-7=1-1	
	Samuel	Parham	0-4-8	1=16=0=0	0-0-0-0	2-0-8-0	
Lieut	Jonas	Peirce	0=4=8	0=14=0=3	0 0 7=2	0=9=1-1	
Deacon	Benjamin	Parkhurst	0=4=8	0-16=9=3	0-1=7=2	1=3-1=1	
Sargt	Ephraim	parkust	0-4-8	0=14=4=2	0=3=0=0	1=2=0=2	
	Joseph	Parker	0=4=8	0-0-0-0	0-0=0=0	0-4-8-0	
	Jonathan	Parker	0-4 8	0-0-0-0	0-0-0 0	0-4-8-0	
	philip	Parkhurst	0-4-8	0-14=4=2	0 0=11=1	0=19=11=3	
	Zebulon	Parker	0 4-8	0-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	0-4=8=0	
	Josiah	Richardson	0=9=4	1=4=0-0	0=1=9=3	1=15-1-3	
	Robert	Richardson	0 9-4	0-11=4=2	0-0-0-0	1=0-8-2	
	Officer	Richardson	0 4-0	1=1=2=1	0 2-7=2	1-18-4-3	
	Samuel	Reed	0=4-8	0 0 0=0	0-0-0 0	0-4-8=0	
	Simon	Parker	0-4-8	0 0 0 0	0-0 0 0	0 4-8-0	

Lieut	John	Spaulding	0 4 8	1=13=0 0	0 0 0=0	1=17=8=0	
Wid	Hasadiah	Spaulding	0 0 0	0=3=10=2	0 0 0 0	0=3=10=2	
Wid	Esther	Spaulding 2d	0 4 8	0=4=9=3	0 0 0 0	0 9=5=3	
Sergt	David	Spaulding	0 4 8	0=12=0 0	0 1=8=1	0 18=4=1	
	Ephraim	Spaulding Esqr	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	0 0=6=3	0 =0 =6=3	
Clerk	peter	Spaulding	0=4=8	0=7=9=3	0=1=3=0	0=18=4=3	
Engin	Samuel	Stevens	0=4=8	0=12=0=0	0=1=7=2	0=18=3=2	
Capt	Samuel	Stevens	0=4=8	0=13=3=3	0=0=0=0	0=17=11=3	
	Simeon	Stevens	0=14=0	0 12=9=3	0=0=0=0	1=6=9=3	
Sergt	Jonathan	Stevens	0 4=8	0=15=7=2	0 0 0 0	1=0=3=2	
	Benja	Spaulding	0=4=8	0=12=0=0	0 0=0=0	0=16=8=0	
	Joel	Spaulding	0=4=8	0=18=0=0	0=0=0 0	1=2=8=0	
	micah	Spaulding	0=4=8	0=12=0=0	0 0 0 0	0=16=8=0	
	Henry	Spaulding 2d	0=4=8	1=0=0=3	0=3=0 0	1=7=8=3	
	Joseph	Spaulding	0=4=8	0=7=6=0	0 0 0=0	0=12=2=0	
	Jepthah	Spaulding	0=4=8	0=12=0 0	0 0 0 0	0=16=8=0	
	Jonathan	Spaulding	0=4=8	1=14=6=0	0=2=5=1	2=1=7=1	
Sergt	Andrew	Spaulding	0=4=8	0=19=0=0	0=1=8=1	0=18=4=1	
	Asahel	Spaulding	0 4=8	0 0=0 0	0 0 0 0	0 4=8=0	
Wids	Abigal	Spaulding	0 9 4	1=13=0=0	0 3=7=2	2=5=11=2	
Wid	margret	Hoddard	0 0 0	0=9=0=0	0=7=2=1	0=10=2=1	
Capt	Samuel	Stevens Guarden for a number of the heirs of Simeon more Dead	0=8=0=3	0 0 0 0	0=8=0=3		
	Esther	Spaulding	0=4=8	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	0 4=8=0	
	Jesse	Spaulding	0 4=8	0 0=0=0	0 0 0 0	0=4=8=0	
	mial	more of Woburn	0=1=7=2	0=0 0 0	0 0 0 0	0=1=7=2	
	Joshua	Dawson on part of the Estate of Daniel Blood	0=4=9=3	0=0=0 0	0 0 0 0	0=4=9=3	
	John	Tuft	0=4=8	0=5=4=2	0 0 0 0	0=10=0=2	
	Nathan	Tyler	0=4=8	0=11=3=0	0=6=0=0	1=1=11=0	
	Jonathan	Hitchcock	0=4=8	0=18=0=0	0=9=0=0	1=11=8=0	
	Samuel	perhaps on part of the Estate Belonging to the heirs of Benja Hitchcock Dece	0=10=2=1	0 0 0 0	0=10=2=1		
	John	morrison	0 4 8	0=0=0=0	0 0 0 0	0 4=8=0	
	David	morrison	0 4 8	0=0=0=0	0 0 0 0	0=4=8=0	
	William	adams on the Estate					
	wido Esther	Richardson	0=6=0=0	0 0 0 0	0 6=0=0		

65	Ephram	Spaulding	Mr	1-8	0-0-0	0 0 0 0	0 1-8-0
	Samuel	Fletcher	m	0 4-8	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	0 4 8 0
	Dennies	mashlane		0 4 8	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	0 4 8 0
	John	means		0 4 8	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	0 4 8 0
	Jonas	Spaulding		0 4 8	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	0 4 8 0
	micajah	Carter		0 4 8	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	0 4 8 0
	James	parkhurst	Wd	0 4 8	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	0 4 8 0
	Ichabod	Shaye	of Westford		0 2 6 0	0 0 0 0	0 2 6 0
	Samuel	Richardson	of Westford		0 6 9 0	0 0 0 0	0 6 9 0
	Hebidiah	Rogers	of Billerica		1 8 0 0	0 0 0 0	0 8 0 0
Last	Isaac	Stearns	of Billerica to the Estate of the late				
		part	of John Rollens				
	Deced				0 5 3 0	0 0 0 0	0 5 3 0
	Jonathan	Pollard	of Billerica		0 1 2 1	0 0 0 0	0 1 2 1
Read	Joseph	miller	of Lexfield		0 4 9 3	0 0 0 0	0 4 9 3
	Lewis	Wieder	of Lankester		0 1 9 3	0 0 0 0	0 1 9 3
Capt	Joseph	Tyler	of Newbary		0 15 11 1	0 0 0 0	0 15 11 1
					Sum total Errors Excepted		£ 99 17 1 2

Azariah Miller
Moses Davis
Samuel Perham
} Assessors of Chelmsford

The foregoing is a True Copy of the original List Committed to Mr Thomas Marshall one of the Constables for the year one thousand Seven hundred & Eighty Seven for him to Collect

Examined and Compared by
Azariah Miller Town Clerk

Chelmsford November 23d 1781

it was ordered by the Selectmen that Samuel Perham Town Treasurer should Receive of the Constables of said Town of Chelmsford all the Ministerial Rates for the year ensuing one thousand seven hundred & Eighty Seven which was Granted at the anuel meting in march Last for the Support of the gospell ministry the present year in said Town which was Committed to said Constables to Collect Viz —

To Receive of mr Thomas marshall one of the Constables of said Town the sum of fifty four pound Seven Shillings one penny one harthing —

also to Receive of mr Isaac Chamberlin the other Constable of said Town the Sum of forty five pound twelve Shillings & ten pence three harthings on or before the first Day of march next insuing as by orders from the assessors to said Constables and the Treasurer is to See for the Same if payment be not Lawfully made by sd Constables

and the Said Treasurer is hearby ordered to pay out the Said money as he shall Receive order from the Selectmen from time to time

By order of the Selectmen Attest Jonathan Fowler

To Receive of mr Thomas marshall the Sum of — — — — — — £54:7:1:1

To Receive of mr Isaac Chamberlin the Sum of — — — — — — 45:12:10:3

Sum Total to Receive of sd Constables £100:0:0:0

57 Chelmsford December 23d 1782

it was ordered by the Selectmen that Samuel
perham Town Treasurer Should Receive
of the Constables of Said Town of Chelmsford
all the Town Taxes which are ~~now~~
Delivered to Said Constables to Collect for
the Defraying the Charges of Said Town the
present year which were granted at the anual
meting in march Last and also the Sume of
one hundred pounds which was granted at
a publick Town meeting on the fifth Day of
December instant in addition to the grant
~~of the~~ said anual meting in march Last the Same
to be paid to the Said Treasurer by the First
Day of march next ensuing

To Receive of mr Thomas marshall one of the
Constables of Said Town for the year one thou
sand hundred & Eighty two the Sum of
ninety nine pound Seventeen Shillings and
one penny Two Farthings the Same to be
paid by the first Day of march next ensuing

also to Receive of mr Isaac Chamberlin the
other Constable of Said Town for the year 1781
the Sum of one hundred pounds Two Shillings
& ten pence Two Farthings at or before
the first Day of march next ensuing
as by orders of Said assessors of Said Town of
Chelmsford to Constables

The Said Treasurer is hearby ordered to Receive Every
other Sum of Sums of money that is or may
be Lawfully Due to Said Town for the present
year and to Sue for the Same if payment be
not lawfully made and the Said treasurer is hearby
ordered to pay out the money that he Shall Receive as he
Shall have orders from the Selectmen from time to
time by order of the Selectmen at Each water town Meet

To Receive of mr Thomas marshall the Sum of } 99:17:1:2
To Receive of mr Isaac Chamberlin the Sum of } 100:2:10:2

it was ordered by the Selectmen Chelmsford November 23d 1787
Perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the
Towns money to Mr Daniel Damon of Reading
in behalf of Samuel wood who was one of the
Continental Solgers in three years Servis the
Sum of Eighteen pound Six Shilling & Eleven
pence Two farthing which the Town Voted to
make up to said wood as his bounty it being
in full agreable to the Vote of said Town
which was passed at the anuel meeting in
march Last — — — £18:6:11:2

By order of the Selectmen Azariah prater Town Clerk

Chelmsford November 23d 1787
it was ordered by the Selectmen that Mr Samuel
Perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the
Towns money to Mr Jacob Farmer the Sum of
one pound twelve Shillings it being for house
Room & fire wood which the Said Farmer
provided for the wido Felts three thirty two weeks
began the ~~Eleventh~~ first of march Last and
Ended the Eleventh of December Instant
£1:12:0:0
by order of the Selectmen Azariah prater Town Clerk

Chelmsford November 23d 1787
it was ordered by the Selectmen that Mr
Samuel Perham Town Treasurer Should pay out
of the Town money to Mr moses Davis the following
Sums viz
To Cash paid to Ebenezer bridge Esq as a the
Committee for said Town in order to Satisfy the Court of
the Court Sheriff in an action between Billerica & Chelmsford
the Sum of twelve Shilling — — — — — £0:12:0:0
To more money which the Said Davis paid Mr Jan net
for keeping a grammer School in S Town in the year 1785
the Sum of Six Shillings — — — 0:6:0
To more for plank which Said found to mend Some
of the bridges in Said Town the Sum of nine Shilling
0:9:0:0

Sum totel £1:7:0:0
by order of the Selectmen Azariah prater Town Clerk

Chelmsford November 29th 1787
it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel
perham Town Treasurer should Receive out of the
Town money the Sum of twenty three pounds
fourteen Shillings & Eight pence it being for
money which the Said perham advanced to
Satisfy a part of a note of hand that Oliver
Barron Esqr hath against Said Town that
he came to his Due on a final Settlement on the
fourth Day of June 1786
as being Former Treasurer of said Town £23.14.8:0
by order of the Selectmen Theriah proter Town Clerk

Chelmsford December 6th 1787
at a meeting of the Selectmen that was ordered
that mr Samuel perham Town Treasurer should
Receive out of the Town money the Hollowing viz
To money which the said perham advanced to pay
mr Joshua atwood of peterborow Ship for keeping
the wido Dorthy williams one of the Town poor
the Sum of Seven pounds ten Shillings £7:10:0:0
To more for provision delivered to the wido Selus Shea
for her support from the first of march last to the
fifteenth of December grant the Sum of three
pound ten Shillings & ten pence 3-10-0-0
To more for a pair of Shues for Samson Farmer
one of the Town poor the Sum of Eight Shillings
0:8:0-0
Sum total £11:8:10-0
by order of the Selectmen Theriah proter Town Clerk

Chelmsford December 5th 1787
it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel
perham Town Treasurer should pay out of the
Town money to mr John Spaulding the Sum
of three pound ten Shilling it being for his
keeping a Writing School at his own house five
weeks & for boarding him self the Same time the
last winter part £3:10:0:0

By order of the Selectmen Theriah proter Town Clerk

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Chelmsford December 5th 1785

It was ordered by the Selectmen that m^r Samuel Hersum Town Treasurer should pay to the Rev^d m^r Ebenezer Bridge out of the money that was granted at the anual meeting in march last for the Support of the Gospel ministry in said Town the present year the sum of Twenty pound it being for one quarter Salery which began the First of September last and Ended the first of December pr^sent £20:0:0

by order of the Selectmen Izeriah Wright Town Clerk

Middlesex ss. To m^r Thomas marshall one of the Constables of the Town of Chelmsford in the County of middlesex Greeting ——

Said You in the name of the Commonwealth of massachusetts you are hearby Required forthwith to warn all the Freeholders and other inhabitants in said Town in your ward qualifyed by law to Vote to assemble at the meeting house in said Chelmsford on wednesday the nineteenth day of December instant at one of the Clock in the afternoon ——

1 Cy Then and there for said Town to Elect & make Choice of Some Suitable person to Serve as a Delegate to Represent the said Town of Chelmsford at a Convention to be held at the State house in Boston on the Second Tuesday of January next Ensuing ——

2 Cy at the Request of m^r Jonathan williams & m^r Samuel Parham to See if the Town will abate a Class Rate that is yet Due from william Hobart and also a Class Rate that is yet Due from James Fletcher Junr Deceased of the last three years which belonged to the Class that Calls Simeon Spaulding Esqr Hear or to act any thing thereon that the Town may think proper ——

3 Cy at the Desire of m^r Ephraim Pierce to See if the Town will abate his Rates which is yet Due from him to the Several Constables & Collectors Levied in

of town or to act any thing thereon that the Town may think proper

4dly at the Request of Deacon Aaron Chamberlin Deacon Ebenezer Poole and a number of others to see if the Town will appoint a Committee to settle accounts with the Treasurer

5ly at the Request of Deacon Aaron Chamberlin Deacon Ebenezer Bell and a number of others to see if the Town will appoint a Committee to prepare a plan and procure materials for the new meeting house which are voted to be built at the last Town meeting and to act any thing relating to the same which the Town may judge Suitable

Hereof fail not and make Return of this warrant with your doings thereon unto the Town Clerk some time before the time appointed for said meeting— Dated at Chelmsford this fifth day of December one thousand seven hundred & eighty seven——

by order of the Selectmen Attest Josiah Procter Town Clerk

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant I have warned the Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford December 17th 1787—

In obedience to the above warrant I have returned and warned all the Freeholders and other Inhabitants in my ward to meet at time and place within mentioned and for the purposes within mentioned——

Thomas Marshall } Constable Chelmsford

Middlesex ss Town of Chelmsford December 17th 1787

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required forthwith to warn all the Freeholders and other Inhabitants in said Town you are qualified by law to vote to assemble at the meeting house in said Chelmsford on Wednesday the nineteenth day of December instant at nine of the Clock in the afternoon

Then and there said Inhabitants of said Town to elect and make choice of a suitable person to serve as a Delegate to represent the said Town at the

at a Convention to be held at the State house
in boston on the Second wednesday in January
next ensuing - - - - - -

2ly at the Request of mr Jonathan williams &
mr Samuel Perham to See if the Town will abate
a Clerr Rate that is yet Due from william Abbot
& als Clerr Rate that is yet Due from James Hitt
Jerhel Deceas'd of the Last three years men which he
longed to the Clerr that Coll Simeon Spaulding
Deceas'd was head of or for to act any thing thereon that
the Town may think proper -

3ly at the Desire of mr Ephraim pine to See if the Town
will abate his Rate which is yet Due from him
to the Constables & Collectors of Said Town or to
act any thing thereon that the Town may think
proper - - - - - - - -

4ly at the Request of Deacon Aaron Chamberlin Deacon
Ebenezer Hyde and a number of others to See if
the Town will appoint a Committe to Settle accounts
with the Treasurer - -

5ly at the Request of Deacon ~~Ebenezer~~ Aaron
Chamberlin Deacon Ebenezer Hyde and a number
of others to See if the Town will appoint a Committee
to prepare a plan and procure materials to the
new meeting house which was Voted to be Erected
at the Last Town meeting and to act any thing
Relating to the Same which the Town may think
Suitable - - - -

Hear of Hail not and make Return of this
warrant with your Doings thereon unto the
Town Clerk Some time before the time appointed
for Said meeting - - -
Dated at Chelmsford this fifth Day of December
one thousand Seven hundred and Eighty Seven
by order of the Selectmen Attest Jonathan Prentice Town Clerk

Middlesex ss Chelmsford December 19th 1787 —
In obedeance to the within warrant I have read and
Endeavored to warn all the Freeholders and others
Inhabitants of Said Town in ~~Town~~ manner
Qualified by Law to Vote to Assemble at
time and place and for the purposes within mentioned

Jacob Chamberlin } Constable for
Chelmsford

The above is a true Copy —

Chelmsford December 17th 1787

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel
perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the
Towns money to Lieut Jonas Peirce the following
Sums viz

for keeping mr Robert Peirce Six monthes at
three Shillings & nine pence pr week which began
the first of march 1787 and Ends the Last of August
Last past the Sum of four pound Seventeen
Shillings & Six pence ---------- £4:17:6:0

To more for making Clothes and mending & wareing
said poor Clothes the Sum of ten Shillings & Six
pence -- £0:10:6:0

Sum Total £5:8:0:0

by order of the Selectmen Hzariah prater Town Clerk

Chelmsford December 17th 1787

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel
perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Towns
money to mr John Spaulding for the following Sums viz
for keeping mary brown from the ninth of October
1786 til the Last of February Last past at one
Shilling and five pence pr week the Sum of one
pound five Shillings ---- £1:5:10:0

To more for Clothing which the said Spaulding
provided for the said mary while Living with
him the Sum of two Shillings ---- 0:2:0:0

Sum total £1 7 10 0

by order of the Selectmen Hzariah prater Town Clerk

Chelmsford December 17th 1787

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel
perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Towns
money to mr Timothy adams the Sum of Seventeen
Shillings & ten pence it being for said adams
minister Rate for the year one thousand
Seven hundred & Eighty five which he cannot
be taxed by Reason of his Subscribing to the
baptist Society in Chelmsford which the Select-
men have abated ---- £0:17:10:0

by order of the Selectmen Hzariah prater Town Clerk

Chelmsford Decmber 17th 1787
it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samul
Perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the
Towns money to mr Isaac marshall the Sum
of Eleven Shillings it being for Said marshalls
keeping mary brown one of the Towns poor from the
first of September 1786 tile October the ninth 1786
at one Shilling & five pence pr week £0: 11: 0: 0
by order of the Selectmen Azariah prater Town Clerk

Chelmsford Decmber 17th 1787
it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel
Perham Town treasurer Should pay out of the Towns
money to mr micah Spaulding the sum of three
pounds fifteen Shillings ~~it being~~ for one month
& five days Schooling and also for boding the
School master the Same time which the Said
Spaulding provided for a part of the Scholers
that belonging to mech to Cattle for the year 1787
£3: 15: 0
by order of the Selectmen Azariah prater Town Clerk

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Chelmsford December 19th 1788

at a publick Town meeting of the Freeholders and other Inhabetants of said Town being Lawfully warned and Regularly Assembled together on the day above said then proceeded as follows

Voted — for major John Minott for to Serve as a delegate to Represent the said Town of Chelmsford at a Convention to be held and kept at the State house in Boston on the Second wednesday of January next Ensuing agreeable to A Resolve of the General Court of said Commonwealth

Voted — for moderator to Regulate & Govern the Meting for the Remaining part of the Business to be Transacted Capt Joseph warren

Voted — to Dismis the article Relating to abateing William Abbott & James Foster jeral Collectors Rates for hiring the Last three years Continental Soldiers

Voted — not to abate Mr Ephraim Spaulding Rates

Voted — to Reconsider the Last mentioned Vote Relative to abateing Ephraim Spaulding Rates

Voted — To adjourn the meeting to the thirty first Day of December Instant on monday at one of the Clock in the Clock in the afternoon —

Then the meting was Adjorned

Capt Joseph warren moderator of said meting

Recorded By Uzariah Procter Town Clerk —

at a publick Town meeting of the Freeholders and other Inhabitants of said Being Regularly Assembled to gather on the thirty first Day of December 1737 by adjournment from the 19th of December instant —
Capt Joseph Pearson moderator of said meeting
then said Town proceeded as follows ——

Voted not to abate mr Ephraim peirce Rate that is yet Due to the Constables of s Town —

Voted to Chuse a Committe to settle accounts with the Treasurer
Voted that the Committe should Consist of the persons
Voted Nor said Committe Oliver Barron Esqr who Refused

Voted Nor Doctr John Bettyes Nor one of said Committe
Voted Nor mr David Spaulding Nor one of said Committe
Voted Nor Capt Abel Adams Nor one of said Committe

Voted not to Chuse a Committe to propose a plan and procure materials for a new meeting house agreeable to the article as it was put in to the warrant for Assembling this meeting — — —

Voted to Chuse a Committe to procure a plan of a new meeting house

Voted Nor said Committe Oliver Barron Esqr —
mr Samuel Havard & mr Henry Coburn

Voted that the Committe Relative to Settleing with the Treasurer Should make their Report of their proceedings at the annual meetings in march next ensuing — — —

Voted the Committe Relative to procuring a plan for the meeting house make their Report at next annual meeting in march — —
then said meeting was Dismissed
Capt Joseph Pearson moderator of said meeting

Recorded by Zariah Frontier Town Clerk —

Chelmsford December 31th 1787

67 it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel Perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Towns money to mr Seth Leaing Store the following Sums viz

for keeping hannah Gorden Six monthes at one Shilling & Seven pence pr week which began the 6th first of September 1787 and Ended the Last of February 1787 the Sum of Two pound one Shilling & Two pence - - - - - £2:1:2:0

So more for Clothing which the Said Leaing Store found for the Said hannah Gorden the Sum of Sixteen Shillings & Six pence - - - - - 0:16:6:0

amt total £2:17:8:0

by order of the Selectmen Azariah worster Town Clerk

Chelmsford December 31th 1787

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel Perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Town money to mr Thomas Chamberlin the Sum of Six Shillings - which the Town Voted to give Said Chamberlin at the annual meeting in may last as his bounty for his Service in the Last winter Expedetion under General Lincon - £0:6:0:0

by order of the Selectmen Azariah worster Town Clk

Chelmsford December 31th 1787

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel Perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Town money to mr Benjamin Spaulding the Sum of one pound two Shillings and Eight pence it being for Clothing which the Said Spaulding provided for Abigal Farmer one of the Town poor in the year 1787 when Endued of - to him - - - - - £1:2:8:0

by order of the Selectmen Azariah worster Town Clk

Chelmsford January 7th 1788
it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel perham
Town treasurer Should pay out of the Town money
to mr David mors the Sum of five pound ten
Shillings & Two pence it being for one half of
said mores Rate that was Due from him to
Azariah proctor which the Town Voted to abate on the
fifth of november last past — — £5: 10: 2: 0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah proctor Town Clerk

Chelmsford January 7th 1788
it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel
perham Town treasurer Should pay out of the
Town money to Azariah proctor the following
Sums viz for Cash the said proctor paid to
Oliver Barron Esqr as part of the Sum that
appeared Due to said Barron on a final Settlement
with him on the fourth Day of April 1786 as former
treasurer of said Town the Sum of Seven pounds
fourteen Shillings — — — £7: 14: 0: 0

To more for Rum & molasses and other
necessaries in finding provision and wood and one
Journey to Cambridge to Examine the Records at the
Clerks office it being all on the account of the
widow anna Crosby Applying to the Selectmen of
said Town for Some Support when She was sick the
Last Summer past the Sum of one pound four
Shillings & nine pence — — — £1: 4: 9: 0

To more for Eight yards of Cotton Cloth which
the proctor provided for mr Robert peirce for a pare
of Shirts the Sum of Sixteen Shillings — £0: 16: 0: 0

Sum total £ 9: 14: 9: 0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah proctor Town Clerk —

Chelmsford January 7th 1788
it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel perham Town
treasurer Should pay out of the ~~Town~~ money that was granted
for the ministerial use to mr Henry Coburn the Sum of
Eighteen Shillings it being for Two Days work which said
Coburn Did in making a gate to the burying yard &
for work that ~~Said~~ Coburn Did in amending the Roof
of the meeting house in the year 1786 — — £0: 18: 0: 0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah proctor Town Clerk

Chelmsford January 7th 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that Mr Samuel Perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Towns money to Mr Simeon Spaulding the Sum of Eleven Shilling & one penny it being for one yard & a half of broad Cloth & button to make up the Same into Coat for Simeon Harmer one of the Town poor which the Said Spaulding provided for the yous above mentioned

£0-11-1½ 0-0

by order of the Selectmen Jeriah Prater Town Clerk

Chelmsford January 7th 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that Mr Samuel Perham Should Reame out of the Town money the Sum of nine Shillings it being for money which the Said perham advanced to pay Mr Josheua Wood of peterborow Hips for keeping Dorithy Williams one of the poor which is supported by the Town of Chelmsford as in part pay for keeping the aboved poor

£0-9-0 0

by order of the Selectmen Jeriah prater Town Clerk

Chelmsford January 7th 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that Mr Samuel Perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Towns money to Mr Oliver Adams the Sum of Six Shillings which the Town Voted to giue Said Adams at the anual meeting in may last as a bounty ~~under General Hunter~~ for his Servis in the Last winters Expedition under General

£0-6-0 0

by order of the Selectmen Jeriah prater Town Clerk

Chelmsford January 7th 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that Mr Samuel Perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Town money to the widdow Mary Reed the Sum of one pound seven shillings for keeping John Reed his family Two weeks & four Days and boarding and Taking Care of them the same time when Said Reed first applyed to the Town for help

£1-7-0 0

by order of the Selectmen Jeriah prater Town Clerk

Chelmsford January 7th 1788
it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel
Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Towns money
to the wido Elizebeth parkhurst the Following Sum
For keeping Joseph Farmer one of the Town
poor Twenty Six weeks at Eleven pence pr week
which began the first of march 1787 & Ended the
Last of August Last past the Sum of one pound
three Shillings & ten pence - - - £1:3:10:0
To more for Clothing which the Said Elizebeth
provided for the Said Joseph & also for making
up the Cloathes for Him the Sum of Ten Shillings
0:10:0:0
Sum total - - £1:13:10:0
by order of the Selectmen Izariah Porter Town Clerk

Chelmsford January 7th 1788
it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr
Samuel Perham Town Treasurer Should
Pay out of the Towns money to mr Isaac
Potter the Sum of Twelve Shilling it being
For Clothing which the Said Potter provided
for mary brown one of the Towns poor in the
0:12:0:0
year 1788
by order of the Selectmen Izariah Porter Town
Clerk

Chelmsford January 7th 1788
it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel
perham Town Treasurer Should Pay out of the
Towns money to mr Isaac Chamberlin the Sum of
nineteen Shilling & Six pence for keeping mary
brown Twenty Six Weeks at nine pence pr week
which began the first of march 1787 and Ended the
last of August Last past agreable to Said
Vandue - - - - - - - - £0:19:6:0
by order of the Selectmen Izariah Porter Town Clerk

Chelmsford January 7th 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel Perham Town treasurer Should pay out of the Town money to the widow mary Foster the following Sums viz for keeping Thankfull Reed one of the Towns poor twenty Six weeks at nine shillings & eight pence per week which began the first of march 1787 and Ended the last of August 1787 the Sum of Two pound three Shillings & four pence — £2:3:4:-0

To more for Clothing which the Said was provided for the Child & making up the Clothes for the Same the Sum of ten Shillings — 0:10:0-0

Sum total — 2:14:2-0

by order of the Selectmen Attest Josiah Foster Town Clerk

Chelmsford January 7th 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel Perham Town treasurer Should pay out of the Town money to mr Benjamin Crosby of Carlisle the Sum of three pound four Shillings it being for a Suit of Clothes and for a pair of Shirts which the Said Crosby provided for Jesse Cory one of the Towns poor in the year 1787 — £3:4:0-0

by order of the Selectmen Attest Josiah Foster Town Clerk

Chelmsford January 7th 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel Perham Town treasurer Should pay out of the Town money to mr Benjamin Crosby of Carlisle the Sum of one pound Sixteen Shillings for keeping Jesse Cory one of the Towns poor twenty Six weeks at one Shilling per week which began the first of march 1787 and for taking care of him the Same time three weeks in his Sickness — £1:16-0-0

by order of the Selectmen Attest Josiah Foster Town Clerk

with the Committee I recorded the orders to this Date January 7th 1788

Chelmsford january 15th 1788
it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel perham Town Treasurer Should pay ~~out of~~ to Clerk William Fletcher out of the money that was Granted at the anuel meeting in march Last for the ministeral yous the Sum of three pound four Shillings & Seven pence three Farthings it being for Eight Cord and two feet of fire wood which the Said Fletcher provided for the Revd mr Ebenezer bridge as part of the thirty Cords for the year 1787 as a part of the Cote as above mentioned — — — — — £3:4:7-3
by order of the Selectmen Azariah prorter Town Clerk

Chelmsford january 15th 1788
it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel Perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Towns money to mr John Farmer the Sum of Six Shillings which the Town Voted to Give Said Farmer at the anuel meeting in may Last as his bounty for his Servis in the Last winters Expedetion under General Lincon £0:6:0:0
by order of the Selectmen Azariah prorter Town Clerk

(Chelmsford January 15th 1788
it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Towns money to mr Stephen willson Six Shillings which the Town Voted to Give him as one of the men that went out under General Lincon in the Last winters Expedition as his bounty for said Servis which was Voted at the anuel meeting in may Last £0:6:0:0
by order of the Selectmen Azariah prorter Town Clerk

Chelmsford January 15th 1788
it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Towns money to mr Ebenezer parker the Sum of one pound Sixteen Shillings it being for Said parkers keeping a Riting School at Azariah prorters one month the Last winter past as part of the Cote of Schooling for the year 1786 £1:16:0:0
By order of the Selectmen Azariah prorter Town Clerk

Chelmsford January 15th 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Town money to mr Joseph Fletcher the Sum of Two pound three Shillings it being for boarding mr Samuel Chamberlin two monthes when Said Chamberlin was keeping a writing School at the neck School house So Called Ended in march 1787

by order of the Selectmen Attest Josiah Clark Town Clerk

Middlesex ss To mr Thomas marshall one of the Constables of the Town of Chelmsford in the County of middlesex ~~greating~~

Seal

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hearby Required forthwith to warn all the freeholders and other inhabitants in Said Town in your ward qualified by Law to Vote in Town Assemble at the meeting house in Said Chelmsford on monday the Twenty first Day of January instant at one of the Clock in the afternoon

1 by then and there to See if the Town will proceed in Some way to Satisfy the Demand that the Town of billerica hath commenced against the Town of Chelmsford by an action of the Cost of building billerica great Bridge or to act any thing Relating their unto that the Town may Judge Suitable

2 by To See if the Town will proceed and Prosecute the action which the Town of billerica hath Commenced against the Town of Chelmsford Relating to the Cost of building Billerica great Bridge So Called or to act any thing Relating thereunto that the Town may Judge Suitable

3 by at the Desire of mr Samuel perham to See if the Town will abate mr John Glodes Rates that is yet due to him or to act any thing thereunto that the Town may think proper

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July at the Desire of m.r Samuel perham To See if the Town will abate him Sixty Rate that is yet Due to him or to act any thing Theirunto that the Town may think proppen

Hear of fail not and make Return [redacted] of this warrant with your Doings Theirone to the Town Clerk Some time before the time appointed for Said meeting

Date at Chelmsford this fifteenth Day of January one thousan Seven hundred & Eighty Eight — —

By order of the Selectmen of Said Chelmsford

Middlesex ss pursuant to the within warran I have warned all the freeholders and other inhabetants in my ward to meet at time and place & for the purpose within mentioned

Chelmsford Jan.y 18th 1788 Thom.s marshall } Constable for Chelmsford

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Chelmsford January 7th 1788

It was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel Perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Town money to Silvius Barron Esqr the following Sums Viz

For the Expences in Entertaining the Selectmen at the anual meeting in march last the Sum of Eight Shillings - — — £0:8:0:0

To more for the Expences of Entertaining the officer & Billerica Committe when they Came with the Execution against the Town of Chelmsford in october last past the Sum of one pound one Shilling & ten pence — — — — £1=1:10:0

To more for the Expences of a number of the Inhabetants of said Town when Billerica Committe & the officer Came with the Execution in october last past the Sum of Twelve Shillings & Six pence - £0:12:6:0

Sum total £2:2:4:0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah Prater Town Clerk

Chelmsford January 21th 1788

At a publick Town meeting of the Freeholders and other Inhabetants of said Town being Legally warned and Regerlerly Assembled on the Day above said then proceeded as follows viz

Voted for moderator to Regerlate & Govern said meeting Oliver Barron Esqr

Voted to Renew the action relating to the Cost of building Billerica Gate Bridge So Called that the Town of Billerica hath Commenced against the Town Chelmsford

Voted to Chuse a Committe of three persons to act in behalf of s Town to Renew s actions

Voted for said Committe for the above purpose Oliver Barron Esq Deacon Aaron Chamberlin and Ebenr Bridge Esq

Voted not to abate mr John Glodes Rates that is yet Due to mr Samuel perham

Voted to abate William Fists Rates that is Due to mr Samuel perham

then the meting was Dismised

Oliver Barron moderator of s meting

Recorded by Azariah wrotter Town Clerk

middlesex ss To Mr Isaac Chamberlin one of the
Constables of the Town of Chelmsford in the
County of middlesex — Greeting
In the name of the Commonwealth of
massachusetts — — — — —
you are hearby Required forthwith to warnill
the freeholders and other inhabetants in said
Town in your ward qualifyed by law to Vote
to assemble at the meeting house in said
Chelmsford on monday third Day of march next
insuing at nine of the Clock in the forenoon

1ly then and their for said Town to make Choice of
all Town officers to Serve the Town the year
insuing as their law Directs — — — —

2ly for the Town to grant such Sum of money as
may be thought needfull for the Support
of the Gospel ministry and all other necessary
Charges arizeing in said town the year insuing

3ly for the town to agree and Vote in what way and
manner they will proceed to have the grammer
School and all other Schools perportioned and kept
in said Town the insuing or for the Town to act
any thing their on that they may Judge Suitable

4ly for the Town to Vote in what way and manner
they will proceed in Repairing the Highways town
Roads & Bridges in said Town the year insuing or
for act any thing their on as the Town may think
proper — — — — —

5ly for the town to appoint some Suitable person or
persons to provide fire wood for the Head of Ebenezer
Bridge the year insuing or for the town to act any
thing Relating thereunto as they may think proper

6ly To See if the Town will Vote that there Shall be no Swine at Large the year Insuing — —

7ly To See if the Town will Vote that the County Tax if any their be be paid out of the Treasurer of Said Town the year insuing or to act any thing thereon as the Town may think proper ——

8ly To See if the Town will make any Consideration to the Class wherein of Mr Jonathan williams & Mr Samuel perham and a number of others are members of the Class of James Pitts Jeneal Ebed and William Abbot who was Taxed in Said Class and have not paid their perportionable part of hireing a man for three years in the Continental Servis or for the Town to act any thing Relating their unto as they may think proper — — — — —

9ly To See if the Town will act any thing Relating to the Controversy with the Town of Billerica relating to the Grate bridge in Said Billerica that the Town may Judge Suitable — — — — — — — — —

Hereof fail not and make Returns of this warrant with your Doings thereon unto the Town Clerk Some time before the time appointed for Said meeting

Dated at Chelmsford this fourteenth Day of February A.D. One thousand Seven hundred & Eighty Eight — — — —

by order of the Selectmen Izariah morter Town Clerk

the following is a Copy of the Return of the Constable warrant

middlesex ss in obedience to the within warrant I have warned & notified to warn all the Freeholders and other Inhabetants within my ward that are qualified by Law to Vote to mee at the time & Place and for the purposes within mentioned Isaac Chamberlin Constable for Chelmsford

Chelmsford march 9th 1788 —

Middlesex ss To mr Thomas marshall
one of the Constables of the Town of
Chelmsford in the County of Middlesex Greeting

Seald

In the name of the Commonwealth of massachusetts
you are hearby Required forthwith to warn all
the freeholders and other Inhabitants in Said
Town in your ward Qualified by Law to Vote
to Assemble at the meeting house in Said Chelmsford
on monday the third Day of march next Insuing
at nine of the Clock in the fore noon ——

1 Ly Then and their for Said Town to make Choice
of all Town officers to Serve the Town the year
Insuing as the Law Directs — — —

2 Ly For the Town to grant Such Sums of money as may
be thought needfull for the Support of the Gospel
ministry and all other necessary Charges arizeing
in Said Town the year Insuing — — — —

3 Ly For the Town to agree and Vote in what way
and manner they will proceed to have the
grammer School and all other Schools perportioned
and kept in Said Town the year Insuing or for
the Town to act any thing thereon that they
may Judge Suitable — — — —

4 Ly For the Town to Vote in what way and manner
they will proceed in Repearing the Highways and
Town Roders & Bridges in Said Town the year
Insuing or to act any thing thereon as the Town
may think proper — — —

5 Ly For the Town to appoint Some Suitable person
or persons to provide fire wood for the Rev'd mr
Ebenezer bridge the year Insuing or for the Town to act
any thing Relating their unto as they may think
proper — — —

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6ly To See if the Town will Vote that Swine Shall go at Large the year ensuing

7ly To See if the Town will Vote the County Tax if any their be be paid paid out of the Treasurer of Said Town the year ensuing or to act any thing thereon as the Town may propper ——————

8ly To See if the Town will make any Consideration to the Class wherin mr Jonathan williams & mr Samuel perham and a number of others are members of the Taxes of James Fetch Jena Dustin and william Abbot who was Taxed in Said Class and have not paid their perportionable part of hiring a man for three years in the Continantal Servis or for the Town to act any thing Relating Reir unto as they may think propper

9ly To See if the Town will act any thing Relating to the Controversy with the Town of Billerica Relating to the grate bridge in Said Billerica that the Town may Judge Sustable ——————

Hear of Fail not and make return of this warrant with your Doings thereon unto the Town Clerk Some time before the time appointed for Said meeting

Dated at Chelmsford this fourteenth Day of February one thousand Seven hundred & Eighty Eight

By order of the Selectmen Azariah prentice Town Clerk

Chelmsford February 2d 1788 -
it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel
perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the
Town money to mr Seth Levingstone the Sum
of one pound one Shilling & Eight pence it
being for Said Levingstone bording mr Samuel
Chamberlin one month while Said Chamberlin
was keeping a Riting School at his own house
in Concord Town ship So Called for the year 1787

£1-1-8-2

By order of the Selectmen Azariah proctor Town Clerk

Chelmsford Febury 22d 1788
it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel
Parham Town Treasurer Should pay out of
the Town money to mr William meers the Sum of
Six Shilling which the town Voted to give Said
men at the annual meeting in may Last as
his bounty for his Servis in the Last Winter
Expedition under General Lincon - £-6-0-0
By order of the Selectmen Azariah proctor town Clk

Chelmsford Febury 22d 1788
it was ordard by the Selectmen that mr Samuel
Parham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Town
money to mr Benjamin Parker the Sum of one pound
it being for five Days Work which the Said Parker did
at black Brook Brig So Called by order of the Committe
which was Close to Build Said Brig in the year 1786

£ 1-0-0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah proctor town Clerk

Chelmsford Febury 22d 1788
it was ordard by the Selectmen that mr Samuel parham
Town Treasurer Should pay out of the towns money
to mr Leon Spalding the Sum of Six Shillings which
the town Voted to give Mr Spalding at the annual
meeting in may Last as his Bounty for his Servis
in the Last winters Expedition under General Lincon

£ 0-6-0-0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah proctor town Clerk

Chelmsford Febuary 22d 1788

it Was ordard by the Selectmen that mr Samuel Parham Town treasurer Should pay out of the towns money to mr Jeames Marshall the following Sums vizt for keeping Sarah Reed one of the Towns poor hous six weeaks at one Shilling & Eight pence pr week which Began the first of march 1787 & Ended the Last of September Last the Sum of two pound three & four pene — — — — £ 2-3-4-0

to more for Clothing which the said marshall provided for the said Sarah While Living with him the Sum of Six Shillings — — 0-6-0-0

Sum totle £ 2-9-4-0

By order of the Selectmen Azarah prootor town Clerk

Chelmsford Febuary 22 1788

it Was ordard by the Selectmen that mr Samuel Parham Town treasurer Should pay out of the towns money to mr James parhurst Jnr the Sum of Six Shillings which the town Voted to give Jr parhurst at the Anual meeting in may Last as his Bounty for his Servis in the Last Winter Expedition under General Lincon — — — £ 0-6-0-0

By order of the Selectmen Azarah prootor town Clerk

Chelmsford Febuary 22d 1788

it was ordard by the Selectmen that mr Samuel Parham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the towns money to mr Nathaniel Chamberlain the Sum Six Shillings which the town Voted to give Mr Chamberlain at the annual meeting in may Last as his Bounty for his Service in the Last winter Expedition under general Lincon — — — £ 0-6-0 0

by order of the Selectmen Azarah prootor town Clerk

Chelmsford February 22d 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Town money to mr Joseph Emerson jr the Sum of Six Shillings which the Town Voted to give said Emerson at the anuel meeting in may last as a bounty for his Servis in the last winter Expedetion under General Lincon - £0-6-0

By order of the Selectmen Uzariah proctor Town Clk

Chelmsford February 22d 1788

at a meeting of the Selectmen it was ordered that mr Samuel perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Towns money to Deacon Benjamin parkhust the Sum of one pound Six Shillings it being for said parkhust finding house Room for the wido Ruth Sutlief one year from the first of march 1787 she no applyed to the Town for some help by Reason of her infermity of her helth - - - - - £1:6:0-0

By order of the Selectmen Uzariah proctor town Clk

Chelmsford February 22d 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Towns money to mr timothy Haward the Sum of Six Shilling which the Town Vote to give said Haward at the anuel meeting in may last as a bounty for his Servis under General Lincon in the last winter Expedetion - - - - - £0-6-0-0

By order of the Selectmen Uzariah proctor Town Clerk

Chelmsford February 22th 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel perham town Treasurer Should pay out of the Town money to mr Benjamin Butterfield mr the Sum of Six Shillings which the Town Voted to give said Butterfield at the anuel meeting in may last as a bounty for his Servis under General Lincon in the last winter Expedetion £0-6-0

by order of the Selectmen Uzariah proctor town Clk

Chelmsford February 24th 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that m^r Samuel Perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Towns money to m^r Amos byam the following Sums Viz —

for keeping the wido olive Cory twenty Six weeks at three Shillings p^r week which began the first of march 1787 & Ended the Last of August Last past the Sum of three pound Eighteen Shillings £3:18:0

To more for keeping Samson Farmer twenty Six weeks at one Shilling & Eleven pence p^r week which began the first of march 1787 & Ended the Last of August Last past the Sum of Two pound nine Shillings & ten pence 2 9:10:0

To more for making & mending Clothes & Cash paid for mending Shoes for the above poor the Sum of five Shilling — £0 5:0

Sum total £6-12:10:0

By order of the Selectmen Atyanah morter Town Clerk

Chelmsford Febury 24: 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that m^r Samuel Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Towns money to m^r Benjamin procter the Sum of one pound Eight Shilling for keeping a writing School two weeke & for Bording him self the Same time while keeping School in the year 1787 the School Being kept at the House of Atyanah procters £1:8:0:6

By order of the Selectmen Atyanah procter Town Clerk

Chelmsford February 28th 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that m^r Samuel Perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Towns money to m^r David Spaulding the Sum of one pound fifteen Shillings it being for bording m^r Joseph Richardson when he was keeping a Writing School at m^r Simeon Stevens for the year 1787 £1:15:0:0

By order of the Selectmen Atyanah morter Town Clerk

Chelmsford Feb 25 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel Perham Town Treasurer Shuld pay out of the Town money to mr William Bridge the following sums Viz

For Conveying three Sogers to Concord time and Expence for the same and for buying one horse at Springfield The Sum of Eight Shillings Six pence £0:8:6

in the year 1780

To more for Conveying Clothing for the Solgers to Concord time and Expences in the year 1779 the Sum of Eight Shillings and Six pence £0:8:6:0

To more for Serveing a warrant on the Selectmen of Dunstable and Conveying the wife of Joseph Farrow out of Town to Dunstable the Sum of Eight Shillings and Six pence £0:8:6

Sum totle £1:15:6

By order of the Selectmen Azariah Prentice Town Clerk

Chelmsford Feb 28: 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel Perham Town treasurer Shuld pay out of the towns money to Doctor John Bates the following Sum Viz

For Doctring Jesse Corey one of the Towns poor from April the 9th 1787 to the 4th Day of December following in which time Said Corey had two fits of Sickness The Sum of one pound Eleven Shillings & Six pence £1:11:6

To more for Doctring the widow Joanne Sanders from the Ninth Day of September last to the fourth Day of December following the Sum of one pound fifteen Shillings £1-15:0

To more for Doctring the widow Anna Crosby the last Summer part when She applyed to the Selectmen for help in her Sickness the Sum of nine Shillings and Six pence £0.9.6

Sum tottol £3:15:0

By order of the Selectmen

Azariah prentice Town Clerk

Chelmsford Feb. 26. 1788

It was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel Perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Town money To maj.r John Minott the Sum of Ten pound thirteen Shilling and four pence it being for mr Benjamin Warren Taxes for the year one thousand Seven hundred and eighty three and for the year one thousand Seven hundred & eighty four which the Town voted to abate at a publick Town meeting on the Second Day of april one thousand Seven hundred & eighty Seven — £10:13:4:0

By Order of the Selectmen Azariah prentice Town Clerk

Chelmsford February 29. 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr. Samuel Perham Town Treasurer Shuld pay out of the Town money which was granted for ministereal use, to mr. William Fletcher the Sum of one pound nineteen Shillings and two pence, it being for five Cords of fire wood which said Fletcher provided for the Rev. Eben.r Bridge for the year insuing — Sum total £1. 19: 2

By order of the Selectmen: Azariah prentice T. C.

Chelmsford February: 29th - 1788

At a meeting of the Selectmen. it was ordered that mr Samuel Perham Town treasurer Shuld pay out of the Town money To Capt. Abel Adams for three Days and a half's time Serveing as a Committee man in the matter Relative to Billerica Bridge. and for Expenses in that affare Sixteen Shillings £0:16:0

By order of the Selectmen. Azariah prentice town. C

Chelmsford February 29th 1788

It was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel Perham Town Treasurer Should Receive out of the Town money the following Sums (viz) for taking Invoice and making Rate and for taking Care of the poor the year past the Sum of one pound twelve Shilling & three pence —— £1-12-3-0

To more for Entertaining the Selectmen and for money which the Said Perham paid while Serving in the Town, busines as a Selectman the year past the Sum of one pound eight Shillings & four pence —— £1-8-4-0

To more for Entertaining the Committe while Settling accounts with D. Perham as treasurer for the year past the Sum of ten Shillings & four pence —— 0-10-4-0

To more for Nessary which Said Perham provided for the widd Gelusha for her Support by Reason of her being unable to Support her Self the Sum of thirteen Shillings and four pence —— £0-13-4-0

Sum Total £4-4-3-0

by order of the Selectmen Azariah prouter Town Clerk

Chelmsford February 29. 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr. Samuel perham Town treasurer Shuld pay out of the Towns money to mr. Moses Davis the following Sum Viz

For takeing invoice and makeing Rates and takeing Care of the poor of Said Town the year past. the Sum of two pounds fourteen Shillings and nine pence £2:14:9

To more for Entertaining the Selectmen and for money which Said mr Davis paid while in the Town Servis as Selectman. the Sum of one pound three Shillings —— £1:3:0

Sum total —— £3:17:9

By order of the Selectmen Azariah prouter Town Clerk

the buy 29th to this Date the order was Reond with the Committe

Chelmsford February 29th 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Town money to Joseph Josiah Fletcher the Sum of fifteen Shillings it being for Cord of fire wood which the Said Fletcher provided for the wife of Joseph Farrar who hath applyed for Some help for her Support. £0:15:0:0

by order of the Selectmen Izariah Procter Town Clerk

Chelmsford march 7th 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Town money to Deacon Aaron Chamberlin the Sum of one pound nineteen Shillings it being for Takeing Care of Jesse Cory one of the towns poor twenty six weeks at one Shilling & Six pence pr week which began the first of Septembr Last & Ended the Last of February Last past £1:19:0:0

By order of the Selectmen Izariah Procter Town Clk

Chelmsford march 8th 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Towns money to Deacon Aaron Chamberlin the following Sums viz - - - - - - - - - -

To one Journey to Cambridge to procure Coppies Concerning Billerica Bridge & Two Journeys to Concord time hors and Expences Releating to Said Bridge as a Committe man Chosen by the Town the Sum of one pound four Shillings & Eight pence - - - £1:4:8:0

To more for one Journey to harvard to procure a plan of the meeting house in the year 1786 as a Committe man the Sum of Twelve Shillings £0:12:0:0

To more for the Expences which the Said Chamberlin was at in being at Concord in September 1786 as a Committe man in order to Consult on publick matters releating to the Insurgants the Sum of nine Shillings £0:9:0:0

Sum total £2:5:8:0

By order of the Selectmen Izariah Procter Town Clerk

Chelmsford march 1th 1788
it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Town money to mr John Spaulding 3d the the Sum of three pound & Eight pence it being for Said Spaulding keeping a Riting School in middle of the Town fore weeks & two days for the year 1787 . . . . £3:0-8:0
by order of the Selectmen Azariah morter Town Clerk

Chelmsford march 1th 1788
it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Town money to Capt Samuel Stevens the Sum of nine Shilling for money he Expended in being a Committe man at Concord in September 1786 when the insurgants Rose against Gouvernment to Sop the Courts £0 9:0:0
by order of the Selectmen Azariah morter Town Clerk

Chelmsford march 1th 1788
it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Towns money to Oliver Barron Esqr the Sum of nine Shillings it being for money which the Said Barron Expended at Concord in the year 1786 when he was a Committe man Concerning the insurgants Rising against Gouvernment 0:9:0:0
By order of the Selectmen Azariah morter Town Clerk

Chelmsford march 1th 1788
it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Town money to mr Samuel Haward the Sum of nine Shillings it being for the Expenes which the Said Haward was at when he went as a Committe man to Concord in September 1786 when the insurgants Rose against Gourment to Consult upon publick matters & to the Courts being Stoped by the insurgants £0 9:0:0
By order of the Selectmen Azariah morter Town Clerk

Chelmsford march 7th 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Town money to Dat[r] Timothy Harring the Following Sums viz - - - - - - - - - -

To Dolering Some of the Towns poor the Sum of five Shillings & four pence - - - - - - £0:5:4:0

To more for for Doltering the wido Joannah Sanders for thirty one Visits and attendance in her Sickness who is one of the Town poor the Last Summer past the Sum of three pound Sixteen Shillings & five pence - - - - - £3:16:5:10

Sum total £4:1:9:0

by order of the Selectmen Azariah prouter Town Clerk

Chelmsford march 8th 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Towns money to mr Ithiel marshall Six Shillings which the Town Voted to give him at the annual meeting in may last as his bounty for his Servis in the Expedition under general Lincon in the year 1787 - - - - - £0:6:0:0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah prouter Town Clerk

Chelmsford march 8th 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel perham Town Treasr Should pay out of the Towns money to mr Willard marshall the Sum of Six Shelling which the Town Voted to give him at the annual meeting in may last as his bounty for his being out in the Expedition under General Lincon in the year 1787 - - £0:6:0:0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah prouter Town Clerk

Chelmsford march 14th 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Town money to mr John marshall Six Shillings for his Servis under General Lincon in the Expedition in the year 1787 as his bounty which the Town Voted to give him at the annual meeting in may last - - - - £0:6:0:0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah prouter Town Clerk

Chelmsford march 4th 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Towns money to Azariah morter the followings Sums viz

To Taking Inventore and making Rates and Taking Care of the poor the year past the Sum of three pound Sixteen Shillings £3:16:0:0

To more for Entertaining the Selectmen and money paid while Serving the Town as a Selectman at Sundry times the year past the Sum of one pound Six Shillings & nine pence £1:6:9:0

To more for Doing the Towns Writings the year past and for finding paper while Serving as Town Clerk the Same time the Sum of one pound Eight Shillings & Six pence £1:8:6:0

Sum total £6:11:9:0

by order of the Selectmen Azariah morter Town Clerk

Chelmsford march 4th 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Towns money to mr Oliver peirce the Sum of one Shilling & two pence for mending for Soone of the Towns poor £0:1:2:0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah morter Town Clerk

Chelmsford March 1 1788

it was ordered By the Selectmen that mr Samuel perham town Treasurer Should pay out of the Towns money to mr Isaac Chamberlain the Sum of one pound four Shillings it Being for Said Chamberlain Providing Clothing for Sundry of the towns poor in the year 1787

By order of the Selectmen Azariah Procter Town Clerk £1:4:0:0

Chelmsford march 14th 1788
it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel
perham Town Treasurer should pay out of the
Town money to mr Ephraim parkhurst the
following Sums Viz
for boarding mr patrick Hemmings one week &
four Days when he was keeping a Riting School
at the north End School house in the yeare 1787
the Sum of Eight Shillings — — £0:8:0
To more for Conveying Nathan Farrar from
Chelmsford to the District of Carlisle who was a
poor person who was a poor person who was Convey
from the State of newhampshier to this Town
ten miles — — 0:0:10:0
Sum to bee 0 8 10 0
by order of the Selectmen Azariah morter Town Clerk

Chelmsford march 14th 1788
it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr
Samuel perham Town Treasurer Should pay out
of the Towns money to mr Simeon Spaulding the
Sum of Eight Shillings it being for peark
which the Said Spaulding provided for Some of
the bridges in Said Town the Last Summer
past £0 8 0 0
By order of the Selectmen Azariah morter Town Clerk

Chelmsford march 14th 1788
it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel
perham Town Treasurer Should pay out of
to Reed mr Ebenezer Bridge out of the money
that was Granted at the Last meeting in
march Last for the Support of the gospel
ministry in Said Town the present year the
Sum of Twenty pounds it being for one quarter
Salery which began the first of December Last and
Ended the first of march instant £20:0:0:

Chelmsford march 1th 1788

It Was ordered By the Selectmen that mr Samuel Perham town treasurer should pay unto the town money to Ezerah Proctor the following Sums Viz

for Joseph Brabrook Rate for the year 1782 which Was taxed in said Proctor List who hath absented himself from the town of Chelmsford and Hath not paid any part of sd taxes and one not gitable By Reason of his gooing away the Sum of two pounds fourteen Shillings & Eleven pence it Being for his head that the Selectmen Abated — £ 2-14-11.0

to mone. for said proctor being over rated him self in the year 1782 to the town Rate for his personel Estate the Sum of nine Shilling & Seven pence to him cholmsford — 9-7-0

to mone for one journey to Harvard ~~with his~~ time and expence and horse to hire a School master 0-5-0.0

to mone for one journey to Harvard with two Hores after a School master time Hoges & Expence and providing a place for the master to Boord to keep a gramer School the Sum of ten Shilling & sixpence — 0-10-6.0

to mone for Clothing which the D proctor provide for the poor of said town the Sum of twelve Shillings 0-12-0.0

to mone for time which the D proctor Expended Examing acounts Relating to Billerica Grat Brdg two Day the Sum of six shilling — Sum total 0-6-0.0

4-18-0.0

By order of the Selectmen ezerah proctor town Clerk

Chelmsford march 14th 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr. ~~an~~ perhaps Town Treasurer should pay out of the Towns money to mr Samuel Hazen four Shillings & Eight pence it being for his being over Rated in the State Rate in the year 1786

£ 0 : 4 : 8 : 0

By Order of the Selectmen Azariah Wheeler Town Clerk

Chelmsford march 14th 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr Samuel Perham Town Treasurer should pay out of the Towns money to Moses Davis the following Sums Viz,

for Joseph Brabrook Rate Due to Mr Davis the Sum of one pound Six Shillings & Seven pence in the year 1781 £ 1 - 6 - 7 - 0

to more for Zeb Barrets Rate Due to Mr Davis for the year 1781 the Sum one pound Six Shillings & Seven pence which the Selectmen have abated - - £ 1 - 6 - 7 - 0

to more for ~~for~~ Clothing for the town poor which the Dr Davis provided the Sum of five Shilling £ 0 - 9 - 0 - 0

to more for Dr Davis paying a School mistres four Weeak keeping a School at three Shilling & Six pence per Weeak the Sum of fourteen Shillings £ 0 - 14 - 0 - 0

£ 3 : 14 : 2 - 0

By Order of the Selectmen Azariah Wheeler Town Clerk

Chelmsford march 3d 1766—

at an anuel Publick Town meeting of the Free holders and other

Chelmsford march 30th 1789

at an anuel publick Town meeting of the Freeholders and other Inhabetants of said Town of Chelmsford being Leagally warned and Regerlerly assembled on the Third Day of march as above mentioned for the purpose of performing publick Town business agreable as the Law Directs then said Town proceeded as follows Viz - - -

Voted For Grand Jureman for the year Insuing
mr phenehas Chamberlin - - - -

Voted For County treasurer for the County of middlesex
of middlesex Ebenezer Bridge Esqr number Votes
Forty nine - - - - - - - - - - 49

Voted For moderator to Govern and Regerlerlate the meting
mr moses Davis
then the meting was Regerlerlated

Voted For Town Clerk Azariah Procter who was
sworn into the office of Town Clerk by
the moderator in the presints of a meeting
agreable as the Law Directs - - - -

Voted to Chuse three Selectmen the year Insuing

Voted For first Selectmen Azariah procter

Voted For Second Selectmen mr moses Davis

Voted For the third Selectmen mr Isaac Chamberlin

Voted For Town Treasurer mr William Fletcher for
the year Insuing

Voted For Constable for the South End of said Town for
the year Insuing Leiut Daniel procter

Voted For Constable for the north End of said town the
year Insuing mr Joshua Davis - - - -

Voted that the Remainder of the Business which is to be
Done at this meeting Shall be Done by the
anowmination of Hand Vote

Voted that the three Selectmen Should be the Assessors of said
Town the year Insuing

Carried up

Voted Thos wardens for the north End of said Town the year ensuing
Mr Silas peirce

Voted Thos wardens for the South End of said Town the year
ensuing Mr Benjamin Adams

Voted for Surveyors of highways for the north End of said
Town the year ensuing Mr Reuben Davis Mr Lewis Fletcher
Mr Jonathan Williams Mr Samuel Lancy

Voted Thos Surveyors of highways for the South End of said Town
the year ensuing Mr Jonathan Snow Mr Aaron Chamberlin 2nd
Mr Timothy Manning Mr Isaac Chamberlin

Voted for a Committee to prevent the Destruction of
fishery in marsh and Concord River and all other Streams
leading therein in said Town the year ensuing
Mr Joseph Chambers Mr Jeptha Spalding Mr Thomas
marshall Mr Moses Davis

Voted Thos fence Viewers for the north End of said Town the year
ensuing Mr James Dunn jun Mr Mr Andrew Fletcher

Voted Thos fence Viewers for the South End of said Town the year
ensuing Mr Joseph Adams jun Mr Mr Oliver peirce

Voted for field Drivers the year ensuing in said Town Mr Samuel
marshall jun Mr Jonathan parker Thos Adams

Voted Thos Surveyors of Boards and Timber for the year ensuing
Josiah parkhurst Stephen peirce 3d Mr Josiah
Fletcher jun

Voted for Sealer of weights and measures for the year ensuing
Capt Joseph warren

Voted Thos Deer Reves the year ensuing in said Town Mr John
Adams jun Mr Mr Philip parker

Voted Thos hog Reves for the year ensuing in said town Mr Joseph
Mr Joseph moores Mr John Farmer

Voted Thos hog Reves Thos South End of said Town the year
ensuing Mr Samuel parkhurst Mr James marshall

Jeremiah

Voted for Tything man for the South End of Said the year ensuing m^r Timothy Adams —

Voted for Tything man for the north End of Said Town the year ensuing m^r Robert Richardson ---

Voted to Grant the Sum of three hundred pounds for the Defraying the nessasary Charges arizeing in Said Town the year ensuing — — —

Voted that the Grammer School Shall be kept in three Defirant parts of the Town the year ensuing — — — — — —

Voted that Each Squeardron Shall draw their perportionable part of money out of the Treasurer of Said Town for their Severall Riting Schools the year ensuing

Voted that the Selectmen Shall perportion the Schools that are to be kept the year ensuing in to the Severall Squeardrons as they Shall be kept

Voted the Sum of fifty pounds for the use of the Writing Schools in Said Town the year ensuing —

Voted the Sum of one hundred pound to Repeair the high ways Town Roads & Bridges in Said Town the year ensuing

Voted Except m^r Josiah Chamberlin to be a Committe man to provide fire wood for the Revd m^r Ebenezer Bridge the year ensuing at Seven Shillings & ten pence p^r Cord 7/10 — — —

Voted that Swine Shall go at Large the year ensuing —

Voted that the County Tax if any their be to be paid out of the Treasurer of Said Town the year ensuing

Carried up

Voted to Adjorn the article Relative to the Clear Rate of James Tuttle Jerue & williams Abbut to the next publick Town meeting

Voted to Except of the Committes Report which was Chosen to Settle with the Town Treasurer at a publick Town meeting on the 31th day of December last agreable to the Return of their proceedings which they have Signed and Returned to Said Town

Voted to Adjorn the article Relative to the Contriqueversy between the Town of Billerica & the Town of Chelmsford Relating to Billerica grate bridge to the next publick Town meeting

Voted to Adjorn the article Relative to the Committes Report Concerning the plan of the meeting house to the next publick Town meeting

Voted To Dismis the meeting then Said meeting was Dismised

moses Davis moderator of Said meeting

Recorded by Azariah prutter Town Clerk

To the prudentiall of the Town of Chelmsford Gentlemen agreable to your vote passed on the 31th day of December Last we whose names are hear under Subscribed as a Committe being met in Said Towns behalf in order to Settle accounts with mr Samuel perham Treasurer of Said Town the Said Treasurer also being present proceeded and cast up the several grants of money made by Said Town and ordered into the Said Treasurers hands to defray the Nesasary Charges arizeing in Said Town not Including any Sum granted for the Support of the Gospel ministry

turn over

having also Cast up the Several orders
Drawn on the Said Treasurer by the Selectmen
to pay out the Said Towns money So Received
and to answer the accounpts of those persons
to whome Said Town ware Indepted and we
find that their Still Remains in the Said
Treasurers hand of the Towns not being ordered
of by the Selectmen the Sum of Eighty Six
pounds Eight Shillings & two farthings

£86:18:0:2

To Ballance the Sums D Treasurer had orders to
Receive it is hearby to be under Stood that
any note or notes of hand Due to Said Town
if any there be ware not Recived in the above
ballance {illegible}
We then Examined and Cast up the Grants
of money made by Said Town and ordered into
the Said Treasurers hands for the Support of
the Gospel ministry in Said Town} then having
Cast up the orders Drawn on the D Treasurer
for paying out the Same for the Support of
the Gospel ministry as afour Said and find their
Still Remains in D Treasurs hands not as
yet ordered of by the Selectmen the Sum
of Seventy three pounds fifteen Shillings
and four pence three farthings £73:15:4:3
To Ballance the Sums Said Treasurer had orders to
Receive

David Spaulding } Committe
Errors Excepted pr John Watts }
Febuary 29th 1780— Abel Adams }

Recorded By Ebenezer Brooks Town Clerk—

Chelmsford march 7th 1788

The following persons personally appeard and
were Sworn in to the Respective offices which they
were Chosen to

Timothy manning
Aaron Chamberlin Jr
Jonathan parker
James marshall
Samll parkhurst
Samll Lang
Andrew Fletcher
moses Dunn
James Chamberlin
Sworn as Assessors

Daniel Foster
Silas pierce
Benjamin Adams
Luke Fletcher
Jonathan Williams
Thomas marshall
John Adams
Capt Joseph Warren
Duke Davis
Josiah parkhurst
Asher pierce
Joseph Adams Jnr
James Dunn Jr

the aboe named persons were Sworn into the offices
theyr they were Chosen the Day aboe mentiond

before Azariah Foster Town Clerk

March 10th 1788 appeared the Joshua Davis
following persons & were Sworn for theyr offices

Joseph moors
before Azariah Foster Town Clerk Ezekiah Fletcher Jr.
Samll marshall Jr

Middlesex ss To Mr Joshua Davis one of the Constables of the Town of Chelmsford in the County of Middlesex greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth of massachusetts you are hearby Required Forthwith to warn all the Freeholders and other inhabitants in said Town in your ward qualified by law to Vote to assemble at the meeting house in said Chelmsford on monday the twenty fourth Day of march instant at Two of the Clock in the afternoon

1ly then and their for said inhabitant to Give in unto the Assessors of said Town a true and just inoune of all their Ratable male poles and all their other Ratable Estate both Real & personal which they are in posion of at the time appointed for said meeting in order to Assess the inhabitants of said Town to the Town and minister & School & highway Rates for the present year

2ly at the Desire of Mr Joshua Davis to See if the Town will make Choice of Some Suitable person to Serve as a Collector to Collect the Taxes in the north End of said Town the year insuing or for the Town to act any thing Relating their unto as they may think proper

3ly To See if the Town will proceed and Chuse a Committe to Settle accounts which were Left in the hands of Mr Samuel perham Deceased Late Treasurer of said Town and to Reserve the Ballance if any their is that may be found Due in favour of said Town into the hands of Mr William Fletcher to Serve as the present Treasurer of said Town

Hereof fail not and make Return of this warrant with your doings thereon unto the Town Clerk Some time before the time appointed for said meeting — Given Dated at Chelmsford this thirteenth Day of march one thousand Seven hundred and Eighty Eight

by order of the Selectmen Azariah Wright Town Clerk

Middlesex ss Chelmsford march 21th 1788 in obedience to this warrant I have warned & in Deuted to warn all the Freeholders and other inhabitants in my ward qualified to vote in Town affairs to assemble at time and place & for the purposes within mentioned Joshua Davis Constable

Middlesex ss To Mr Daniel proctor one of the Constables of the Town of Chelmsford in the County of middlesex Greeting

In the Name of the Commonwealth of massachusetts you are hearby Required Forthwith to warn all the Freeholders and other Inhabetants in said Town in your ward qualifyed by Law to Vote to assemble at the meting house in said Chelmsford on monday the Twenty fourth Day of march instant at Two of the Clock in the afternoon

1dly then and there for said inhabetants to give in unto the assessors of said Town a true & perfect Invoice of all their Ratable real & personal estate both Real & personal which they are in possession of at the time appointed for said meeting in order to Assess the inhabetants of said Town to the Town & minister & School & highway Rates for the present year

2dly at the Desire of Mr Josiah Davis to See if the Town will make Choice of Some Suitable person to Serve as a Collector to Collect the Taxes in the north End of said Town the year insuing or for the Town to act any thing Relating thereunto as they may think proper

3dly To See if the Town will Award and Chuse a Committe to Settle accounts which was Left in the hands of Mr Samuel Perham Deced Late Treasurer of said Town and to Repair the ballance if any there is that may be found Due in favour of said Town in to the hands of Mr William Fletcher to Remain as the present Treasurer of said Town

Hear of fail not and make Return of this warrent with your doings thereon unto the Town Clerk Some time before the time appointed for said meeting

Dated at Chelmsford this thirteenth Day of march A.D. one thousand Seven hundred & Eighty Eight

by order of the Selectmen Attest Daniel proctor Town Clerk

Chelmsford march 17th 1788

in obedeance to the within written warrant I have warned and in Duered to warn all the Freeholders & other inhabitants to Qualifyed to Vote in Town affairs in my ward to meet at time and place and for the purposes within mentioned

Daniel proctor Constable

Chelmsford march 28th 1788

at a publick Town meeting of the Freeholders and other inhabetents of said Town being Legally warned and Regularly Assembled on the Day above said then proceded as follow viz:

Voted 1st for Grand jurimen for the Supreem judecial Court to be holden at ~~Chart~~ Concord on the Second Tuesday of April next Capt Abel Adams made Chose of mr Henry Coburn by Drawing out of the box to Serve as a petty Jurieman at the Supreme judecial Court as above mentioned

Voted 2d to meet the assessors of s Town at the house of Solier Barron Esqr on monday the 31th of march instant at one of the Clock in the afternoon to give in in Proove of s inhabitents to s assessors in order for making the Town & minister & School and highway Rates by and also to meet at mr Phinehas Chamberlins on Tuesday the first Day of April next one o Clock afternoon and at mr Benja butterfield Junr Wednesday one o Clock afternoon & at mr Ruben Davis thirsday one o Clock afternoon in ord to Take in voice for the above purpose — — —

then proceded to the Chose of a moderator

Voted for moderator to Regulate & govern s meeting mr moses Davis — — —

Voted not to Chuse a Collector in the north End of the Town the year insuing — — —

Voted to allow Each Constable of s Town ten Dollars for Collecting the Taxes which Shall be Delivered to them for their Servis in Collecting the same for the year insuing

Voted to Chuse a Committe in order to Repeare the Ballance that may be found in the hour of said Town Left in the hand of mr Samuel Perham Late Treasurer or in the Hands of mr William Fletcher the present Treasurer to Receive

Voted for the said Committe for the above purpose mr David Spaulding Doct Josha Bethyes & Capt Abel Adams

Voted to make a Consideration to the Clas whearof mr Jonathan williams mr Samuel perham Deced & a number of other ^ neare members of the Clas Rates of James Hitch jenel. Deced and william Abbut of that part which they have not as yet paid to ye Clas which Still Remain Due to ye Clas.

Voted that the Selectmen Should be impowered to borrow money in order to Satisfy the Execution which the Town of Billerica hath Taken out against the Town Chelmsford & hath made their Demand on ye Town Relating to the Contriversy between Billerica & Chelmsford Concerning Billerica grate Bridge

Voted to adjorn the article Relative to the Committe Report Concerning the plan of a new meeting house to the next publick Town meting — — — — —

Voted to Dismis Said meeting then the meeting was Dismised

moses Davis moderator of Said meting

Recorded by Azariah prater Town Clerk

Middlesex ss To mr Joshua Davis one of the Constables of the Town of Chelmsford in the County of Middlesex greating &

Sc^d In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hearby Required forthwith to warn all the Freeholders and other Inhabitants in Said Town in your ward Qualifyed by Law to Vote to assemble at the meeting house in Said Chelmsford on monday the Seventh day of April Next insuing at one of the Clock in the afternoon

Sc^d Then and there for Said Inhabitants to give in unto the Selectmen their Votes for a Governor & Lieutennant Governor and also for Senetors for the County of Middlesex agreable to the Laws and Constitution of Said Commonwealth

Sc^d at the Request of ye^d Joshua Davis & Daniel Fletcher to See if the Town will proceed and have all the publick Town meetings which Shall be called for the year insuing

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fize warned by Setting aduertizements at the
meeting houses or Some other peaces wheair
the Town may think propper - - - - - - -

Hear of fail not and make Return of this warrant
with your Doings theiron unto the Town Clearke
Some time before the time appointed for Said
meeting - - -

Dated at Chelmsford this Twenty fourth Day of
march A Done thousand Seuen hundred & Eighty
Eight - - - - - - - - - - - -

By order of the Selectmen Attest Proctor Town Clerk

Middlesex ss to Lt Daniel Proctor one of the Constables
of the Town of Chelmsford in the County of
Middlesex - - - - - - - - - - - greeting

Lieut. In the name of the Commonwealth of massachusetts
you are hearby Required forthwith to warnace all the
Freeholders and other inhabitants in Said Town in
your ward qualifyed by law to vote to
Assemble at the meeting house in Said Chelmsford
on monday the Seuenth Day of April next ensuing
at one of the Clock in the afternoon - - -

1ly then and their for Said inhabitants to Give in
unto the Selectmen of Said Town their Votes for
a Gouernor & Lieutannant Gouernor and alsso for
Senators for the County of middlesex agreable to the Laws
and Constitution of Said Commonwealth - - -

2ly at the Request of mr Joshua Davis Lt Daniel
Proctor to See if the Town will proceed & have all
the Publick Town meeting which Shall be Called for
the year ensuing be warned by Setting up aduertisements
at the meeting houses or Some other peaces wheair
the Town may think propper - - - - -

Carried up

Hear of fail not and make Return of this warrant with your Doings thereon unto the Town Clerk Some time before the time appointed for Said meeting Dated at Chelmsford this twenty forth Day of march A D one thousand Seven hundred & Eighty Eight —

By order of the Selectmen Azariah porter Town Clerk

Middlesex ss Chelmsford March 4th 1788 in obedeance to the within warrant I have warned & in dwerd to warn all the freeholders and other inhabitants in my ward qualifyed by law to vote to meet at time and place & for the purposes within mentioned Daniel porter Constable ——

(Chelmsford April)

at a publick Town meeting of the freeholders and other inhabitants of Said Town duly warned and Regularly assembled on the Day above Said & for the purpose of Chuseing Senators & Councellor for the Commonwealth of massachusetts and also for Counsellor for the County of Middlesex Said Town proceeded as follows viz

Voted for Governor for the Commonwealth of massachusetts & the number of Votes Twenty four —— 24

Voted for Governor for the Commonwealth of massachusetts Elbridge Gearny Esq the number of Votes is Five —— 5

Voted for Lieut Governor for the Commonwealth of massachusetts number of Votes forty Eight —— 48

Voted for Lieutennant Governor for the Commonwealth of massachusetts John Warren Esq number of Votes Twenty four —— 24

Voted for Lieutennant Governor for the Commonwealth of massachusetts Elbridge Gerry Esq number of Votes five 5

Voted for Samuel Adams Esqr for Lieut Governor for the Commonwealth of massachusetts number of Votes is three - - - - - 3

then proceeded to the Chose of Senetors for the County of middlesex - - - -

Voted for Senetor for the County of middlesex Eleazer Brooks Esqr number of Votes thirty Eight 38

Voted for Senetor for the County of middlesex Ebenezer bridge Esqr Number of Votes thirty seven - 37

Voted for Senetor for the County of middlesex Joseph Bradley Varnum Number of Vote thirty Eight 38

Voted for Senetor for the County of middlesex Mr Isaac Stearns the number of Votes thirty Eight 38

Voted for Senetor for the County of middlesex Joseph Hosmer Esqr number of Votes thirty Eight 38

Voted for Senetor for the County of middlesex Cant walter mc pharlin the number of Voter thirty 30

Voted for Senetor for the County of middlesex David mersh all Spring number of Votes thirty 30

Voted for Senetor for the County of middlesex william thompson Esqr number of Votes - - 30

Voted for Senetor for the County of middlesex mr Samuel Reed the number of Votes thirty 30

Voted for Senetor for the County of middlesex Cant David Brown number of Votes thirty — — 30

Voted for Senetor for Senetor for the County of middlesex John Brooks one Vote - - 1

Voted for moderator to Regulate the meeting for the Remainder part of the Busines for this is to be Done on monday David

Voted that all the Publick Town meetings which may be Called in said Town the year insuing Shall be warned or notified by posting up at the two meeting houses in said the year insuing

Town then the meeting was Dissolved

moses Davis moderator of sd meeting

Recorded by Ay. Attest moster Town Clerk.

To the Selectmen of Town of Chelmsford Gentlemen
Whereas we the Subscribers were Chosen at a publick
Town meeting in Said Town on the Twenty fourth Day of
march last past a Committe to Examine the matters
Relating to Town Treasurer as they were Left by
m^r Samuel perham Late Treasurer Deceased and to Defar
the Ballance which may Appear in favour of the
Town of Chelmsford to m^r William Fletcher who is the
Present Treasurer for Said Town we haveing attended
the Servis for which we were Chosen and Report as
follows Viz

we having Examined the orders which was Drawn
on m^r Samuel Perham Late Treasurer Deceased Since
the Last Ballance which was made on the Twenty ninth
Day of February Last past and we find a Ballance
Remaining which was not ordered out of the hands of
m^r Samuel Perham Late Treasurer Deceased of the
money which was Granted to Defray Town Charges
the Sum of fifty nine pounds five Shillings &
Eight pence Two Thirdings £59:5:8:2

we also Examined the orders Drawn upon Said
Treasurer for the Support of the Gospel ministry
Since the Last Ballance and find a Ballance yet
Remaining which was not ordered out of the hands of
m^r Samuel Perham Late Treasurer Deceased of the
money which was granted for the Support of the Gospel
ministry the Sum of fifty three pounds fifteen
Shillings and five pence — — £53:15:5

The above Sums are to be Defaced into the Hands of
m^r William Fletcher the present Treasurer Together
with the Sums which doe in the hands of the Several
Constables & Collectors that are Hereafter named
and the Sum Set to Each Constable & Collector is Due
to the Town of Chelmsford which the Said Constables &
Collectors Did not Collect and pay into the hands of
m^r Samuel perham Late Treasurer Deceased agreable to
the Directions which Hee Been given them by the Select-
men of Said Town.

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The Sum Due from mr David Danforth is Twenty
five pound Ten Shillings & three pence two farthings
£26: 10: 3: 2

The Sum Due from mr Ephraim parkhurst
is Eight pound four Shillings & ten pence
three farthings - - - - - - - £8: 4: 10: 3

The Sum Due from Azariah porter is
forty Seven pound four Shillings & two pence
three farthings - - - - £47: 4: 2: 3

The Sum Due from major John minott is
Ninety two pounds five Shillings & five pence
£92: 5: 5: 0

The Sum Due from mr Thomas marshall
is one Hundred & forty five pounds nineteen
Shillings & two pence three farthings £146: 19: 2: 3

The Sum Due from mr Simeon Stevens is
thirteen Pounds fifteen Shillings and three
pence one farthing - - £13: 15: 3: 1

The Sum Due from mr Isaac Chamberlin
for the year 1736 is Seventeen pounds Seventeen
Shillings & Six pence three farthings £17: 17: 6: 3

The Sum Due from mr Isaac Chamberlin
for the year 1737 is one hundred & forty five
pounds fifteen Shillings & nine pence
two farthings - - - - £145: 15: 9: 2

The Sum Due from mr oliver Stone is
thirty one pound Nine Shillings & Seven
pence three farthings - - £31: 9: 7: 3

The Sum Due from mr moses Davis is
forty four pounds Seven Shillings & Seven
pence - - - - £44: 7: 7: 0

Whereas Nearly all the Receipts which was given By the Treasurer to the above named Constables and Collectors were given in General without any Distinguishing whether they were given for Town or ministeral Taxes therefore we Cannot ascertain how grate a part of the above Sums which are Due from the above Constables & Collectors is ministeral money — — — —

Errors Excepted per us
David Spaulding
John Bettys
Abel Adams
} Committee

Chelmsford April 14th 1788

Recorded By Ezariah Procter Town Clerk

we the Subscriber having Examined the amounts Return th Town of Chelmsford and the Estate of m Saml per Late & Constable & Collector for the Town Dues an fin by Cal orders & the Receipts Exhibited to us that the [illegible] Eight Shillings & three pennings Remains Due from the Estate of Said per hams Decest [illegible] be Refered into the hands of the present Town the Towns use

David Spaulding
John Bettys
Abel Adams
} £1-8-3

Chelmsford April 15 1788

it was ordered By the Selectmen that m William Fletcher Town Treasurer Should Receive of the Several Constables & Collectors of the Town of Chelmsford all the Rates that were found Due From Said Constables & Collectors in favour of Said Town agreable to a Report of the Committe that was made to the Selectmen of Said Town on the fourteenth Day of April one thousand Seven hundred & Eighty Eight Both of the Town and ministeral Taxes and also all the other Sums of money which was found Due to Said Town any other ways Said Rates Being Reserved out of the hands of m Samuel per hams late Treasurer Deceased and Given in to the hands of m William Fletcher

Turn over

the present Treasurer Treasurer to Receive from
the Several Constables & Collectors as follows To Receive of mr Samuel Chamberlin one of the Constables of Said Town the Sum of thirteen pounds eight Shillings & three Farth. for the year 1783 £13 8 0 3
To Receive of mr David Danforth one of the Collectors of Said Town for the year one thousand Seven hundred & Eighty five the Sum of twenty Six pound ten Shilling & three pence two Farthings which is Due from Said Danforth to Said Treasurer £26 10 3 2
To Receive of mr Ephraim parkhurst the Sum of Eight pound four Shillings & ten pence three Farthing who was one of the Collectors for the year one thousand Seven hundred & Eighty Six that is Due from Said parkhurst to Said Treasurer £8 4 10 3
To Receive of Azariah Procter one of the Constables of Said Town of Chelmsford for the year one thousand Seven hundred & Eighty one & one thousand Seven hundred & Eighty two the Sum of forty Seven pound four Shillings & two pence three Farthings £47 4 2 3
To Receive of major John minott one of the Constables of Said Town for the year one thousand Seven hundred & Eighty three & one thousand Seven hundred & Eighty four the Sum of ninety two pounds five Shillings & five pence which is Due from Said minott to Said Treasurer £92 5 5 0
To Receive of mr thomas marshall one of the Constables of Said Town for the year one thousand Seven hundred & Eighty Seven the Sum of one hundred forty six pound nineteen Shillings & two pence three Farthings which is Due from Said marshall to Said treasurer £146 19 2 3
To Receive of mr Samson Stevens one of the Constables of the Town of Chelmsford for the year one thousand Seven hundred & Eighty two the Sum of thirteen pounds fifteen Shillings & three pence one Farthing £13 15 3 1
which is Due from Said Stevens to Said Treasurer

To Receive of Mr Isaac Chamberlin one of the ~~Constables~~ Collectors of the Town of Chelmsford for the year one thousand Seven hundred & Eighty Six the Sum of Seventeen pound Seventeen Shillings & Six pence three Farthings ministerial Taxes which Due from said Chamberlin to Said Treasurer £17-17-6:3

To Receive of Mr Isaac Chamberlin one of the Constables of D Town for the year one thousand Seven hundred and Eighty Seven the Sum of one hundred & forty five pound fifteen Shillings & nine pence Two Farthings which Remain Due from D Chamberlin to Said Treasurer £145-15-9-2

To Receive of Mr Oliver prince one of the Collectors of Said Town for the year one thousand Seven hundred and Eighty five the Sum of thirty one pound nine Shillings & Seven pence three Farthings which Remain Due from D prince to Said Treasurer £31-9-7:3

To Receive of Mr moses Davis one of the Constables of the Town of Chelmsford for the year one thousand Seven hundred & Eighty one the Sum of forty four pound Seven Shillings & Seven pence which is Due from said Davis to Said Treasurer and the Said Treasurer is hearby ordered to Receive all the orders which hath been Drawn on Mr Samuel perham Late Treasurer of Said Town Dated that was not answered by the Said Former Treasurer Dated which is Referred to the present Treasurer to Receive & the Said Treasurer is to be accountable for the Same as part of the Ballance that appeared Due from Said Constables & Collectors of Said Town agreable to the Committee Report & the Treasurer is hearby ordered to Sue for the Sume of money that appeard Due from the Constable & Collectors of Said Town to Said Treasurer agreable to the Ballances of the Sum that appeard Due from Each Constable & Collector by the Said Committee Report to the Selectmen if payment Be not Emediately made £44-7-7:0

turn over

and the Treasurer is heereby ordered to pay out the money as he Shall Receive orders from the Selectmen from time to time

By order of the Selectmen Azariah Foster Town Clerk

Chelmsford April 15th 1788

It was ordered by the Selectmen that mr William Fletcher Town Treasurer Should Receive all the orders that was Drawn on Oliver Barron Esq Former Treasurer Since march 5th 1785 Both of the Town & ministeral orders as parte of the Ballance that appeared Due in favour of Said Town agreable to the Committe Reporte which was made to the Selectmen on the fourteenth Day of April 1788 which have not been ansheered by the former Treasurer or getting parte of the Sums that is to be Recevd of the Constable or any other person by the present Treasurer for parte of the four mentioned Sums

By order of the Selectmen Azariah Foster Town Clerk

Chelmsford may 14th 1788

It was ordered by the Selectmen that mr William Fletcher that mr William Fletcher Town Treasurer Should pay out of the money that was granted at the annual meeting [illegible] for the ministerial use the Sum of [illegible] four Shilling to mr [illegible] Harrick for [illegible] ringing the Bell & Sweeping the meeting house & the Sabbath Days from the 20th of September last to the first of march last past £1 4 0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah Foster Town Clerk

Chelmsford may 16th 1782

at a publick Town meeting of the Freeholders & other Inhabitants of Said Town being Legally warned & Regerterly Assembled on the Day above Said then Said then Said Town proceeded as follows

Voted for major John Wright to Serve Gard and Represent the Said Town of Chelmsford the present year

Voted for moderator to Govern & Regerlate the meeting mr moses Davis

Voted to Chuse a Committe for to Settle accounts with Lieut Isaac warner Relative to the intrest that he Regest of the Town to bemade up to him

Voted for the Committe for the above purpose mr David Spaulding Deacon Ebenezer goold Deacon Aaron Chamberlin

Voted to abate all the Rates that is Due from Lieut Benjamin warner to the Several Constables & Collectors of Said Town

Voted to Except of Lieut Daniel Procter in Lieu of mr Joshua Davis to Collect the Taxes in the north End of the Town the year ensuing

Voted to Chuse a Committe to Cast the Intrest money that the Town Voted to make up to the Rev mr Ebenezer Bridge at the anuel meeting in march one thousand Seven hundred & Eighty Seven

Voted that the Committe Should Consist of three persons

Voted for Said Committe for the above purpose mr David Spaulding Oliver Barron Esqr Deacon Aaron Chamberlin

Voted to Adjourn mr Benjamin parker article the 6th to his Request to the 8th being opened to the next publick Town meeting

Voted to Dismis the Meeting then the meeting was Dismised

moses Davis moderator of s meeting

Recorded by Hezekiah Porter Town Clerk

Chelmsford April 13th 1768 ——

It was ordered by the Selectmen that Mr William Fletcher Town treasurer should pay out of the Town money to Mr Benjes Spaulding the Sum of one pound & fifteen pence part pay for keeping Abigal Hamer & her Child five months the last winter past

£1 15 0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah Prentice Town Clerk

Chelmsford April 13th 1768

It was ordered by the Selectmen that Mr William Fletcher Town treasurer should pay out of the Town money to Mr Benjes Spaulding the following Sums viz

to Clothing which the said Spaulding provided for Abigal Hamer one of the Towns poor while taking Care of her the Sum of Eight Shillings & Eight pence

£0 8 8

to more the Sum of one pound ten Shillings and four pence which is in full for keeping Abigal Hamer Twenty Six weeks at 1/11 pence pr week with one order that said Spaulding pay her Husband one pound Bearing the Same Date of this order which Shall be the last of February last past

£1 10 4

By order of the Selectmen Azariah Prentice Town Clerk

Chelmsford may 11th 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr william Fletcher Town treasurer should pay out of the Town money to mr John Dutten the sum of two pound fifteen shillings & ten pence part pay for keeping wido Ellis Cow one of the Town poor twenty six week at one shilling & Eleven pence p week began the first of Sept 1787 & Ended the last of July Last past the order is in full with an order now paid which the s Dutten has all Ready Rec for keping the above mentioned poor 2 . 15 . 10

By order of the Selectmen Azariah prator Town Clerk

Chelmsford may 11th 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr william Fletcher Town treasurer Should pay out of the Town money to mr John Dutten one pound it being in part pay for keeping the widoo Ellis Cow of the Town poor from the first of Sept last to the Last of July last past at one Shilling & Eleven pence p week £1 . 0 . 0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah prator Town Clerk

Chelmsford may 26th 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr William Fletcher Town treasurer Should pay out of the Town money to mr John Dutten the sum of two pound fifteen shillings & ten pence part pay for keeping wido Ellis Cow one of the Town poor twenty six week at one shilling & Eleven pence p week which began the first of Sept 1787 & Ended the last of July last past the sum of two pound fifteen shillings & Eight pence £2 15 8 0

to more for Clothing which the said poor found & Reckoned Town Debt ten shillings & six pence — — 0 . 10 . 6 — 0

£3 . 4 . 2 — 0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah prator Town Clerk

Chelmsford June 4th 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr William Fletcher Town treasurer Should pay to the Revd mr Eleazer Bridge out of the money that was granted at the annual meeting last for the Support of the Gospel ministry in said Town the present year the Sum of twenty pound it being for one quarter Salary which began the first of march last and Ended the first of June Instant — — 20 . 0 . 0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah prator Town Clerk

Chelmsford June 5th 1788—

it was ordered By the Selectmen that Mr William Fletcher Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Towns money to Mr John byam for the following Sums viz—

for keeping Hannah Forden Twenty Six weeks at one Shilling and Six pence pr week which began the Twenty of September 1787 & Ended the Last of February last past the Sum of one pound nineteen Shillings £1-19-0

To more for Clothing which the Said byam provided for the above mentioned Hannah which Leaving with him the Sum of Twelve Shillings & Two pence £0-12-2-0

Sum total £2-11-2

By order of the Selectmen Azariah Procter town Clk

Chelmsford June ye 5th 1788

it was ordered By the Selectmen that Mr Wm Fletcher town treasurer Should Pay out of the towns mony to Mr Henry Spaulding the Sum of Six Shilings which the town Voted to give to Dr Spaulding at the anuel meeting in may 1787 for his Sevis in the Last writes Expenditon under genral Lincon—

By order of the Selectmen Azariah Procter Town Clerk £0-6-0

Chelmsford June 5th 1788

it was ordered By the Selectmen that Mr William Fletcher Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Towns money to the Revd Mr Abijhai Crosman the following Sum of two Pound Sixteen Shilings for Keeping a writing School one month & for Boarding him Self & mare Kept at Mr John Sherwoods in the year 1787 £2-16-0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah Procter Town Clerk

Chelmsford June 5th 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that Mr Wm Fletcher town Treasurer Should pay out of the towns money to Mr Henry Spaulding the Sum of three pounds ten Shillings it being for Dr Spaulding keeping a writing School five weeks at the wido Esther Spaulding & at Mr Eleazr Spaulding & boarding himself while keeping Dr School it being the Cole of Shoo that was due to Dr Spaulding Squadron for the year 1787 £3-10-0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah Procter town Clerk

Chelmsford June 13th 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr William Fletcher Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Towns money to Capt Abel Adams the Sum of Eleven Shilling & three pence being for his Servis as a Committe to Examine the matters & Settle with the old Treasurer & Refar the papers to the new treasur as D Servis was Done in february & april last past £0-11-3-0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah prorter Town Clerk

Chelmsford June 13 1788

it Was ordard By the Selectmen that mr William Fletcher Town Treasurer Should pay out Should pay out of the towns money to Capt Joseph Emerson Administrater to the Estate of Samuel parham deceast the of three pound it Being for part of. time on Smalls Rate for the year 1783 that was Due to D parham he Said as Constable £.3:0 0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah prorter town Clerk

Chelmsford June 13 1788

it Was ordard By the Selectmen that mr William Fletcher, town treasurer, Should pay out of the towns money to Capt Joseph Emerson Administrater on the Estate to mr Samuel parham of Chelmsford deceas the Sum of one pound Nine Shillings money Due to D Estate that mr parham paid to one Growner for keeping School the tenth part £1-9-0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah prter town Clerk

Chelmsford June 13: 1788

it was ordered By the Selectmen that mr William Fletcher Town Treasurer Should pay out of the towns money to Capt Joseph Emerson as administrator on the Estate of Samuel parham Late of Chelmsford Deceast the Sum very fore D town

for S parhams Deceast Serving treasurer in the year 1787 the Sum of one pound Sixteen Shilling

to more for William Fiskes Rate Was Due to S parhams Deceast two pound ten Shillings & five pence £ 1: 16-0-0

To more for money S parham advanced to pay mr gouenor the grammer School master for keeping a School in Said Town the Last winter past the Sum of Sixteen Shillings & ten pence £ 2- 10-4-0

To more for the Expences the administrators was at in Entertaining the Committe while Settleing the acount with the treasurer dused & Returning Ballens in to the new treasurers hand the Sum of Eleven Shillings & three pence £ 0: 16: 10-0

Sum total £ 0: 11: 3-0

5: 14: 6-0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah prater Town Clk

Chelmsford June 24th 1788

it was ordered By the Selectmen that mr william Fletcher Town treasurer Should pay out of the Town money to mr Joseph Richardson the Sum of two pound five Shillings it Being for Said Richardsons keeping School five weeks at mr Emersons Stevens in the year 1787 £ 2-5-0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah prater Town Clk

Chelmsford June 24 1788

it was ordered By the Selectmen that Mr William Fletcher town treasurer Should Pay out of the towns money to Isaac Chamberlin the Sum of one pound one Shilling & one penny it Being for money which the Said Chamberlin advanced towards Setting with Capt an Execution which the town of Billerica hath taken out against the town of Chelmsford the year 1787 £1-1-1:0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah Prater Town Clark

Chelmsford June ye 24 1788

it was ordered By the Selectmen that M^r wiliam Fletcher town treasurer should Pay out of the tawns mony the sum of three Pounds to Isaac Chamberlin it Being for said Chamberlins Collecting the taxes in the southend of said town for the year 1787 agreable to a vote of s^d town which was Passed at the anuel meting in march 1787 which was By an adjornment on the first monday of aprill then following £3 : 0 : 0

By order of the Selectmen Ayarish Procter town Clark

Chelmsford June ye 24 1788

it was ordered By the selectmen that M^r wiliam Fletcher town treasurer should Pay out of the towns mony that was granted for the Ministeriall use to Mr Isaac Chamberlin at the anual meating in march 1787 the sum of Eight Pounds twelve shilings & four pence it Being for fire wood which the said Chamberlin provided for the Revd Mr Bridge as part of the thirty Cord for the year 1787 which the town provided for the above mentd Mr Bridge £8 : 12 : 4

By order of the Selectmen Ayarish Procter town Clark

Chelmsford June ye 24 1788

it was ordered By the Selectmen that M^r wiliam Fletcher town treasurer Should Pay out of the towns mony to Mr Samuel Chamberlin the following sums vizt for keping a writing school one month at Mr Seth Levingstons in Concord river neck so called which Begun January 14 1788 & Ended febuary following the sum of one Pound Sixteen Shilings — — — — £1 : 16 : 0

To more for keping a writing school one month & four Days at Mr Jonases Reeves which Ended the 24th of may £2 : 2 : 0

Sum of. two Pounds two Shilings —— £2 : 2 : 0

By order of the selectmen Ayarish Procter town Clark

Chelmsford June 27th 1788

it was ordered By the Selectmen that m^r William Fletcher Town treasurer Should pay out of the Towns to m^r Nathaniel Harwood the Sum of one pound fourteen Shillings & Eight pence for keeping Huldah Reed one of the Towns poor twenty Six weeks which began the first of march 1787 & Ended the first of march last past £1 : 14 : 8 : 0

By order of the Selectmen Ayarish Procter Town Clerk

Chelmsford June 27th 1788 —

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr William Chamberlen Town Treasurer should pay out of the Town money to Azariah Prentice the Sum of one pound Eleven Shillings & Seven pence for money paid to Joshua Prentice
atwood & Peterborough Six for money paid to mr Phinehas Chamberlin on Patriock account for keeping the wido Dorithy William one of the Town poor — — — £1 - 11 - 7 : 0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah Prentice Town Clerk

Middlesex ss To Mr Daniel Frothingham one of the
Collectors of the Town of Chelmsford in the County
aforesaid Greeting -

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts
you are hearby Required to Levy and Collect of the
Several persons named in the List hearwith Committed
unto you Each one his Respective proportion therein
set Down of the Sum total of Such List it being
a part of a Tax or Assessment agreed upon and
granted by the Inhabitants of the Said Town of
Chelmsford Legerally Assembled at an annual publick
Town meeting on the third Day of march one thousand
seven hundred & Eighty Eight for the Support of the
gospel ministry in Said Town the present year part
of Said Tax is for the use of Repearing the meeting
house & Sweeping the meeting house & Ringing the Bell
as you are Directed & Leave and pay in unto William
Fletcher Town treasurer or to his Successor in Said office as

[illegible]

Treasurer all Such Sums of money as you Shall So Levy
Collect and you are to pay to Said Treasurer the whole of the
Sum total their in Set Down in Said List and make up your
accounts with Said Treasurer on or before the first Day of
march next Ensuing and you are to pay the Said Sums
as follows the one half of the Said Sums at or before the
first Day of September next Ensuing and the other
of the Said Sums at or before the first Day of December next
Ensuing & the other greater part of the Said Sums at or before
the first Day of march next Ensuing and if any person Shall refuse
or Refuse to make payment of the Sum or Sums which he
is or are Assessed in Said List to Destrain the goods or Chattles of Such
persons to the Value thereof and the Destress So taken
you are to keep for the Space of four Days at the Cost
and Charge of the owner and if he Dont pay the Sum or Sums
assessed within the Said four Days then you are to Sell
at publick Vandue the Destress So taken for the
payment thereof with the Cost and Charges first giving
forty Eight hours notice of Such Sale by Setting up
Advertisements at Some publick place in the Same Town
Destrain'd or precinct as the Case may be and the overplus
Money arrizing by Said Sale if any there be
besides the Said Sums So assessed & the necessary
Charges of taking and keeping the Destress you
are Enabled to Return to the owner and forbear
of goods & Chattle thereon to make Destress besides
tools or Emplyments necessary for his Trade or
occupation Beds of the plow necessary for the Cultivation of his
Improved Land Arms Cullen Cloaths for house keeping necessary
for ~~his family~~ his house Cattle bedding and
apparel necessary for ~~him~~ Self and family for the Space
of twelve Days you are to take the bond of Such person
So Refuseing or neglecting & him Commit unto the Common
goal of the Said County there to Remain until he ~~shall~~ pay
the Same or Such a part thereof Shall not be allowed
by the assessors for the time being or in Court of general Sessions
of the peace of the Said County
Given under our hand & Seal this twenty Eighth Day of
May Anno Dom 1720

This following assessment was made by the assessors of the Town of Chelmsford this Twenty Eighth Day of may of may one thousand Seven hundred & Eighty Eight for the Support of the Gospel ministry in Said Town the present year

			poll	Real	personal	Sum total
Engr	William	Adams	0 2 10	0 4 2 1	0 1 2 1	0 8 8 1
	William	Bowers	0 5 8	0 2 0 0	0 0 4 2	0 8 0 2
	Benjamin	Butterfield	0 2 10	0 5 5 3	0 1 5 0	0 9 8 3
	Simeon	Blodgett	0 2 10	0 7 6 0	0 2 4 3	0 12 8 3
	Samuel	Butterfield	0 2 10	0 3 3 3	0 0 6 3	0 6 8 2
	Francis	Bowers	0 2 10	0 5 2 1	0 1 0 1	0 9 0 2
Capt	Benjamin	Butterfield	0 2 10	0 9 0 0	0 2 4 2	0 14 2 2
	Simeon	Blodgett Jnr	0 2 10	0 7 6 0	0 1 0 1	0 11 4 1
	Luke	Bowers	0 2 10	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	0 2 10 0
	John	Butterfield	0 2 10	0 5 5 3	0 1 5 0	0 9 8 3
	John	Bateman	0 5 8	0 0 0 0	0 4 3	0 6 0 3
	Daniel	Blood	0 0 0	0 7 8 1	0 0 0	0 7 8 1
Lt	Timothy	Clark	0 0 0	0 18 6 0	0 7 6 0	1 6 0 0
Lt	Isaac	Clark	0 2 10	0 0 0 0	0 0 0	0 2 10 0
	Joseph	Chamberlin	0 2 10	0 1 9 3	0 0 7 1	0 5 3 0
	Henry	Coburn	0 5 8	0 5 0 1	0 1 1 1	0 11 11 2
	Micaiah	Carter	0 2 10	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	0 2 10 0
	Nathan	Coburn	0 2 10	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	0 2 10 0
	Thomas	Chamberlin	0 2 10	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	0 2 10 0
Lt	Oliver	Cory	0 2 10	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	0 2 10 0
	Levi	Baker	0 2 10	0 3 0 0	0 0 4 3	0 6 9 3
	James	Dunn	0 2 10	0 0 0 0	0 0 5 0	0 3 3 6
	James	Dunn Jnr	0 2 10	0 7 6 0	0 1 0 0	0 11 4 0
	John	Dunn	0 2 10	0 3 0 0	0 0 3 0	0 6 1 0
Widd	Rebeckah	Dutton	0 0 0	0 3 0 0	0 0 5 1	0 3 5 1
	Moses	Davis	0 5 8	0 12 0 0	0 3 0 0	0 18 0 0
	Joshua	Davis	0 5 8	0 7 2 1	0 0 9 0	0 13 7 1
	John	Dutton	0 2 10	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	0 2 10 0
	Reuben	Davis	0 2 10	0 18 0 0	0 2 6 1	1 3 4 1
	Joseph	Deacon	0 2 10	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	0 2 10 0
Capt	Joseph	Emerson	0 2 10	0 7 4 2	0 0 10 1	0 11 8 3
	Josiah	Fletcher	0 2 10	0 1 6 0	0 0 2 1	0 4 6 1
	Samuel	Fletcher	0 0 0	0 5 7 2	0 0 9 0	0 6 4 3

Capt	John	Forde	0-5-8	0:10:6	0-0-3	0	0-16-5
Lieut	William	Fletcher	0-5-8	0=7:0	2-0-1-3	0	0 13-11-2
	Joseph	Farrar	0-2-10	0:4-6	8 0-0-10	3	0 8-2:3
Engsn	Josiah	Fletcher	0-2-10	0 6-7	1 0=1=7	3	0=11-0-3
	Parkhurst	Fletcher	0-2-10	0 3=3	3 0:0 4	2	0 6:6-1
	Lewis	Fletcher	0-2-10	0 2-8	1 0-0:3	12	0 5 9:3
	Josiah	Fletcher jun	0-2-10	0-0-0	0-0-0	0	0:2-10 0
	Andrew	Fletcher	0=5 8	0 17-1	=0 0-2:3	0	1-5-0 0
	Shercubiah	Fletcher	0-2-10	0-0-0	0-0-0	0	0-2:10-0
	Joseph	Fletcher	0-2-10	0 6-3	3 0-1-2	0	0 10-3-3
	Andrew	Fletcher jun	0-2-10	0 0-0	0-0-0	0	0 2-10 0
	George	Fradrick	0-2-10	0 0 0	0-0-0	0	0 2 10-0
	Jonas	Farrar	0-2-10	0 0 0	0-0-0	0	0 2-10 0
	Jacob	Foster	0-2-10	0 5-1	=0 0-5:10	8	0 4-1
	John	Farrer	0-2-10	0=1-6	0 0=0:3	10	4-7=1
Deacon	Ebenezer	Gould	0-2:10	0 5-2	=1 0-0:11	0	0:8-9-1
	Benjamin	Gould	0-2-10	0 5-2	=1 0-0-7	3	0-8-8-0
	Jacob	Haward	0-2-10	0-8-0	0 0:1=8	=1	0 12-6-1
Capt	Samuel	Haward	0-8=6	0 15-10	3 0-2:4	3	1=6-9-1
	willard	Haward	0-2-10	0-2=0	0 0:1-8	1	0 12-6-1
	Jacob	Haward jun	0-2-10	0-0-0	0 0-0:5	0	0 3-3:0
	Samuel	Hadlock	0-2:10	0 0=0	0 0-0-0	0	0 2-10 0
	Samuel	Agney	0=2:10	0 3=10	3 0:0-2	:1	0 6 11:0
	Thomas	Hodsdon	0-5-8	0 1=11	:1 0-0:1	3	0 7-9-0
	Benjamin	Hilliard	0-2-10	0-9-0	0 0=0-5	1	0 12-3=1
Widow	Joanneth	Moses	0-0-0	0 5-5	1 0-0-9	1	0 6-2-2
	Joseph	Moses	0-2-10	0 4-6	1 0-0-1	5	3 0 8-9-2
	Samuel	Marshall	0-5-8	0 5-1	=0 0-1-3	2	0 13-0-2
	Isaac	Marshall	0-5-2	0 3-3	3 0-0 11	=0	0-9-10-3
	Joseph	Peirce	0-2-10	0 5-0	0-0-9	0	0 8-7=1
	Silas	Peirce	0-5-2	0 5-0	0 0-0-8	2	0 11-4-3
	Stephen	Peirce 3d	0-2-10	0 3-0	0 0 0-1	=3	0 5-11=3
	Benja	Parker	0=2-10	0 7-6	0 0 0 10	2	0 10:2-2
Capt	Jame	Parkhurst	0=0-0	0=7:2	=1 0 0-3	3	0=7-6-0
Engsn	Phillip	Parker	0=5 8	0 19-2	1 0-2 7	0	1-7 5-1
	Robert	Peirce jun	0-2-10	0 0-7	0 0:0-0	0	0 3-5-0
Widow	Elizabeth	Peirce	0-0-0	0 1-1	2 0-0-1	0	0 1-2-2
Capt	Joseph	Executor administrator on the Estate					
	of Samuel	Parham Dec'd	0-0-4	2 0-2	7 2	0	3-0-0

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Ephraim	Spaulding	2	10	0	0	0	0	2 10 0
Samuel	Fletcher jnr	2	10	0	0	0	0	2 10 0
John	means	2	10	0	0	0	0	2 10 0
Jonas	Spaulding	2	10	0	0	0	0	2 10 0
James	fletcher 3rd	2	10	0	0	0	0	2 10 0
Dennes	meuklaine	2	10	0	0	0	0	2 10 0
Oliver	Hamond of Billerica			0	10	0		0 10 0
non Residents Land								
Jfisher	heyes of Dunstable	0	2	6	0			0 2 6 0
Samuel	Richardson of Dunstable	3	4	2				0 3 4 2
Nehediah	Rogers of Billerica	0	3	0	0			0 3 0 0
Isaac	Stearns of Billerica to a part of the Estate of John Bollard Dec'd	0	2	7	2			0 2 7 2
Jonathan	Bollard of Billerica	0	0	7	1			0 0 7 1
Reed Joseph	moore of Pepperell	0	2	4	3			0 2 4 3
Levi	wilder of Lancaster	0	0	11	0			0 0 11 0
Capt Joseph	Tyler of Medway now	0	7	11	0			0 7 11 0
Samuel	perham of Acton	0	17	7	2			0 17 7 2
								52 16 2 3

Sum total Errors Excepted

the fore going is a true Copy of an original rec'd to Lieut Daniel proctor one of the Constables of said Town for him to Collect Examined & Compared by

Hezekiah proctor
Moses Davis
Isaac Chamberlin
Hezekiah proctor

Assessors for the Town of Chelmsford

for the year 1788

Town Clerk

Middlesex ss To Lt Daniel proctor one of the Constables of the Town of Chelmsford in the County of middlesex Greating

in the name of the Commonwealth of massachusetts you are hereby Required to Levy and Collect of the Several persons named in the List herewith Committed unto you Each one his Respective perportion therein Set Down of the Sum total of Such List A being a part of a Tax or assesment agread upon and granted by the Inhabitants of the Said Town of Chelmsford Regularly Assembled at an annual publick Town meeting on the third Day of march

turn over

one thousand Seven hundred & Eighty Eight
for the Support of the Gospel ministry in Said Town
the present year part of Said Tax is for the use
of Repeiving the meeting house & Sweeping the
meeting the meating house & Ringing the Bell and you
are to Deliver & pay in unto William Fletcher Town
Treasurer or to his Successor in Said office as Treasurer
all Such Sums of money as you Shall So Levy & Collect
and you are to pay to pay to Said Treasurer the
whole of the Sum of the Sum total thereof Set
Down in Said List and make up your accounts with
Said Treasurer on or before the first Day of march
next Insuing and you are to pay the Said Sums as
follows the one half of the Said Sums at or before
the first Day of September next Insuing and one
quarter of the Said Sums at or before the first Day
of December next Insuing and the other quarter of the
Said Sum to be paid at or before the first Day of march
next Insuing - and if any person Shall neglect
or Refuse to make payment of the Sum or Sums
which he or they are assessed in Said List to Distrain
the goods or Chattles of Such persons to the Value
thereof and the Distresses So Taken you are to
keep for the Space of four Days at the Cost and
Charge of the owner & if he or they Shall not pay the
Sumes So assessed within the Said four Day then you
are to Sell at publick Vandue the Distresses So
taken for the payment thereof with the Cost
& Charges first giveing forty Eight hours
notice of Such Sale by posting up Advertisement
thereof in Some publick place in the Same Town
District or plantation as the Case may be and
the over plus Arriseing by Said Sale if any
there be besides the Said Sums So assessed &
the necessary Charges of Taken & keeping &
you are Emedeately Restore to the owner and
goods & Chattle whereon to make Distress be side
Tools & Emplyments necessary for his Trade
or occupation Except of the value necessary.

for the Cultivation of his Improved Lands
arnes Utensils for house keeping
nesesary for up holding Life Bedding
and apparel nesesery for him Self & family
for the Space of Twelve days you are to
take the bodey of Such persons So Refuseing
or neglecting and him or them Committ unto
the Common goals of the Said County their to
Remain untile ~~application~~ he or they pay
the Same or Such apart their of Shall not
be abated by the Assessors for the time being
or the Court of general Sessions of the Said
County ~~Then~~

Given under our hands & Seal this Twenty
Eighth Day of may A D 1788

Thanks Prude } Assessors
moses Davis } of
Jsaac Chamberlin } Chelmsford

This following Assessment were made by the
assessors of the Town of Chelmsford this Twenty
Eighth Day of may one thousand Seven hundred
& Eighty Eight for the Support of the gospel
ministry in Said Town the present year

			Polls	Real Estate	personal Estate	Sum Total
	Jonas	Adams	0:2:10	0:8:0:2	0:0:9:2	0:11:8:0
	Joseph	Adams	0:5:8	0:8:6:0	0:0:11:0	0:15:1:0
Capt	Abel	Adams	0:5:8	0:9:7:1	0:1:3:1	0:16:6:2
	Benjamin	Adams	0:2:10	0:7:2:1	0:1:3:3	0:11:4:0
Cush	Samuel	Adams	0:2:10	0:4:4:3	0:1:0:0	0:7:2:3
	Thomas	Adams	0:2:10	0:1:10:1	0:0:5:0	0:4:1:1
	Joseph	Adams Jr	0:2:10	0:8:6:0	0:1:5:1	0:12:9:1
	Jeramiah	Abbot	0:5:8	0:2:4:2	0:0:2:3	0:8:3:3
	Joannah	Abbot	0:0:0	0:6:7:2	0:0:4:2	0:7:0:0

	Oliver	Barron Esqr	0=5 8	0:19 -0 0	0 -2=2=1	1 =5 -10:1	
	Ebenezer	Bridge Esqr	0 2 10	0-10-9-3	0 1: 8=1	0 15 4 0	
Capt	William	Bridge	0 2 10	0-2-10-0 0	0=0 -7-2	0 0 3: 2	
	Joel	Burrit	0 -5 8	0 12 0 0	0=2 4- 1	1 -0 0 -1	
	John	Byam	0 -2 -10	0 3 -9 -0	0 0 -5: 1	0 -9: 0 -1	
Wid	Lucy	Byam	0 -0 -0	0 -3 : 7=0	0 -0 -4 -3	0 4 0 3	
	Amos	Byam	0 2 10	0 =7 2 1	0 -1 -0 -3	0 =11 : 1 : 0	
Dr	John	Bettis	0 2 10	0=6 3=2	0=1 -4=2	0 -10 -9 -0	
Dea	Aaron	Chamberlin	0 -9 -6	0 -10 -4=2	0 1 -3 -2	1 =0 -2 -0	
	Phinehas	Chamberlin	0 5: 8	0 :10 -2 -2	0 2 -7 -1	0 =18 -5 -3	
	Jacob	Chamberlin	0 -5 : 8	0 =5 : 3 -0	0 1 6	0 -12 =5 : 0	
	Benjn	Chamberlin	0 -2 -10	0 -7 -1 -1	0 -1 -3 =0	0 =11 : 2 : 1	
	Isaac	Chamberlin	0 -8 : 6	0 : 7 , 2 -1	0 1 -2 -1	0 -16 =10 : 1	
	Samuel	Cornant	0 2 10	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 2 -10 -0	
	Aaron	Chamberlin	0 -2 -10	0 -3 -4 -1	0 -0 3 3	0 -0 -7 -0	
	Abel	Chamberlin	0 -2 -10	0 -5 : 3 : 0	0 =0 -0 -0	0 -8 -1 : 0	
	Samuel	Chamberlin	0 -2 -10	0 -0 -0	0 -0 -0 -0	0 =2 : 10 -0	
Lord	Muhamah	Davis	0 -0 -0	0 -4 -7 : 3	0 1 -1 =2	0 -5 -9 : 1	
	Ebenezer	Frost	0 -8 : 6	0 -12 -3 : 3	0 -1 =4 -2	1 -2 -2 -1	
	John	Freeland	0 -2 -10	0 -9 -0 -0	0 -3 -1 -2	0 =14 -11 -2	
	Isaiah	Foster	0 -2 -10	0 -2 -3 -0	0 -0 -6 -2	0 -5 -6 -2	
Wid	Grace	Fletcher	0 -0 -0	0 -3 -11 -0	0 -0 -2 -3	0 -6 -2 : 0	
Capt	Benjamin	Fletcher	0 -2 -10	0 =14 -3 -1	0 1 =2 -1	0 =18 : 9 : 2	
Wid	mary	Foster	0 -0 -0	0 -3 -7 -0	0 -0 -2 -2	0 -3 -9 -2	
	Obediah	Foster	0 -2 =0	0 -4 -9 -3	0 -0 -5 -2	0 -5 -3 : 1	
	Joseph	Foster	0 -2 -10	0 -0 -0 -0	0 -0 -0 -0	0 -2 : 10 : 0	
	Jacob	Danforth	0 -6 -8	0 -5 : 0 =1	0 -0 -0 -3	0 -10 -9 : 0	
	Reuben	Gould	0 =5 -8	0 =2 : 3 =1	0 -0 -0 -3	0 8 -0 -0	
	Reuben	Gould Jnr	0 -2 -10	0 -0 -2 : 0	0 -0 -0 -0	0 -2 -10 : 0	
	Josiah	Hodgman	0 -2 -10	0 -4 =0 -0	0 -0 -9 -3	0 -7 -7 -3	
	John	Harwood	0 -2 -10	0 :12 -7 =0	0 1 -7 -2	0 -17 -0 -2	
Dr	Timothy	Harrington	0 -2 -10	0 =1 =6 =0	0 -2 -1 -1	0 -6 -5 =0	
	Moses	Gould	0 -2 -10	0 =0 =0 -0	0 -0 -10	0 -3 -8 -2	
	Nigel	Hunt	0 -2 -10	0 -0 -0 -0	0 -0 -0 -0	0 -2 -10 -0	
	Asa	Hodgman	0 -2 -10	0 -5 -10 -2	0 -0 =9 -1	0 -9 -5 -3	
Lieut	Nathaniel	Harwood	0 -2 -10	0 -7 -3 -3	0 -1 -1 -0	0 -11 -2 =3	
Sen	Abner	Harrick	0 -2 -10	0 -1 =7 =1	0 -0 -1 -2	0 -4 -1 -3	
	William	Laws	0 -2 -10	0 -10 -6 -0	0 -0 -6 -0	0 -13 -10 -0	
	Seth	Jeffingstone	0 -2 -10	0 -5 -1 =0	0 -0 -1 -1 -2	0 -9 -0 -2	
	Benjamin	Jeffingstone	0 -2 -10	0 -0 -0 -0	0 -0 -0 -0	0 -2 -10 -0	
Maj	John	Merritt	0 -2 -10	0 -3 -10 -0	0 -0 -7 -1	0 -7 -3 -1	

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	Jonathan	Snow	0	2	10	0	7	2½	0	0	11½	0	10	11	2
	Simeon	Spaulding	0	2	10	0	4	6	0	0	1	0	8	4	1
	Samuel	Spaulding	0	2	10	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	10	0	0
	Azariah	Spaulding	0	2	10	0	3	7½	0	0	6	0	6	11	0
	Josiah	Simonds	0	2	10	0	5	4½	0	0	1	0	8	4	1
Capt	Joseph	Warner	0	2	10	0	12	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	2
Lt	Isaac	Warner	0	2	10	0	2	8½	0	0	3	0	5	9	1
	David	Walker	0	2	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	10	0
Capt	Joseph Warner of Simeon	Warner in behalf of Jonathan Warner now Deced	to a part of the Estate			0	0	4	1	0	0	0	0	7	1
	Jeramiah	Warner	0	2	10	0	4	6	0	0	3	3	0	7	7	3
	Nathaniel	Tuttle	0	2	10	0	1	0	1	0	1	2	0	3	11	0
wid	Jemima	Stoddard	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	0	0
Lt	Andrew	Bettys	0	2	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	10	0
	Isaac	Warner to a part of the wid														
	Joannah	Abbott	0	0	0	0	2	6	0	0	0	3	0	2	9	1
	Samuel	Lothlin	0	5	8	0	3	11	0	0	0	0	0	9	7	0
Major	John	Minott to a part of the Estate lately in the poss[n] of Nath[l] Farrow											0	0	9	0
	Steven	Farmer	0	2	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	4	0

non Residents

	Ebenezer	parker of Princeton	0	0	9	0	—	—	—	—	—	0	0	9	0
	Sam[ll]	Butterfield of Westford	0	0	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	0	0	2	0
Capt	Zelitiah	Hatch of Westford	0	1	2	0	—	—	—	—	—	0	1	2	0
	John	Laws of Billerica	0	1	9	3						0	1	9	3
Lt	Zebulon	Spaulding of Carlisle	0	1	6	0	—	—	—	—	—	0	1	6	0
Colo	Zacheus	Wright of Westford	0	3	7	1						0	3	7	1
	Amos	Wright of Westford	0	0	6	0	—	—	—	—	—	0	0	6	0

Sum to be Error Excepted £ 41:3:9:1

Azariah Wrote
Jno Davis
Isaac Chamberlin

Assessors for the Town of Chelmsford

Middlesex ss To Lieut Daniel Procter one of the Constables of the Town of Chelmsford in the County of middlesex greating

in the name of the Commonwealth of massachusetts

you are hearby Required to Levy and Collect of the Several persons named in the List heare with Committed un to you Each one his Respective perportion therein Set Down of the Sum total of Said List it being a part of a Tax or assesment agreed upon and granted by the Inhabitants of Said Town of Chelmsford Legerly assembled at an annual publick Town meeting on the third Day of march one thousand Seven hundred and Eighty Eight Said Tax is for the use of the Defraying the Nesasary Charges arizing in Said Town the present year and you are to Deliver and pay in unto mr William Fletcher Town Treasurer or to his Successor in Said office as Treasurer all Such Sums of money as you Shall So levy and Collect, and you are to pay to Said Treasurer the whole of the Sum total Set Down in Said List and make up your accounts with Said Treasurer on or before the first Day of march next Insuing and you are to pay to Said Treasurer the Said Sums as follows — viz and you are to pay the one half of the Said Sums at or before the first Day of September next Insuing & the other half of Said Sums at or before the first Day of march next Insuing and if any person Shall neglect or Refuse to make payment of the Sums which he or they are assessed in Said List to Destrain the Goods or Chattles of Such persons to the Vallue their of and the Destresses So Taken you are to keep for the Space of four Days at the Cost and Charge of the owner and if the owner do not pay the Sum So assessed within the Said four Days then you are to Sell at publick Vandue the Destresses So Taken for the payment their of with the Cost and Charges their of first giveing Hearby Eight Dayes notice of Such Sale

By posting up advertisements thereof in some publick place within the Town District or plantation as the Case may be and the over plus if any there be besides the sum assessed & the Charges of Taking & keeping the Distresses you are Immediately to Restore to the owner and for want of goods & Chattles whereupon to make Distress besides Tooles or Implements necessary for his Trade or occupation beasts of the plow necessary for the Cultivation of his improved Lands arms Utensils for house keeping necessary for upholding life bedding and apparel necessary for him Self & family for the Space of twelve Days you are to take the Boddey of such persons so Refusing or neglecting and him Committ unto the Common goal of the said County there to remain until he pay the Same or Such a part as Shall not be abated by the assessors for the time being or the Court of general Sessions of peace of the Said County — —

Given under our hands and Seal this twenty fourth Day of June A D 1788

Azariah Prattle
Moses Davis
Isaac Chamberlin

} Assessors of the Town of Chelmsford

This following Assessment was made by the assessors of the Town of Chelmsford this twenty fourth Day of June one thousand Seven hundred & Eighty Eight to defray the Charges arising in Said Town the present year

		Pole	Real	Personal	Total
Sergt William	Adams	0-7-4	0-13-3:2	0-3-4:2	1-4-0-0
William	Bowers	0-14-8	0-5-2:0	0-1-0 3	1-1-4:0
Benjamin	Butterfield	0-7-4	0-14-6:0	0-4-0-0	1-6-10-0
Amos	Cadget	0-7-4	1-1-3:00	0 6 10 0	1-15-5-0
Samuel	Butterfield	0-7-4	0-9-4:3	0 1-7 00	18-3-5
Francis	Bowers	0-7-40	14-8-2	0 2-9:01	1-4-9-2
Benja	Butterfield	0-7-4	1-5-6-00	0 6-9:01	1-19-7-0.

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Lt	John	Spaulding	0 0 0	2 6 9 0	0 3 3 2	2 10 0 2			
Lt	Hasadiah	Spaulding	0 0 0	0 5 3 3	0 1 0 3	0 6 4 2			
	Ephraim	Spaulding Esq	0 0 0	0 0 0 0	0 0 7 2	0 0 7 2			
Widow	Esther	Spaulding	2 0 7 4	6 6 9 3	0 1 5 3	0 15 7 2			
Sargt	Daniel	Spaulding	0 7 4	0 17 0 0	0 2 4 3	1 6 8 3			
Lieut	Peter	Spaulding	0 14 8	0 11 7 1	0 3 4 3	1 9 8 0			
Ensign	Samuel	Stevens	0 0 0	0 17 0 0	0 2 1 2	0 19 1 2			
Capt	Samuel	Stevens	0 7 4	0 18 11 2	0 3 4 3	1 9 8 1			
	Simeon	Stevens	1 2 0	0 18 1 0	0 2 9 0	2 2 10 0			
Sargt	Jonathan	Stevens	0 7 4	1 2 1 2	0 3 4 3	1 12 10 1			
	Benja	Spaulding	0 7 4	0 17 0 0	0 1 9 2	1 6 1 2			
	Joel	Spaulding	0 7 4	1 3 4 2	0 3 9 3	1 14 6 1			
	micah	Spaulding	0 7 4	0 17 0 0	0 2 0 0	1 6 4 0			
	Henry	Spaulding	0 7 4	1 8 5 0	0 5 7 0	2 1 4 0			
	Joseph	Spaulding	0 7 4	0 10 7 2	0 3 0 0	1 0 11 2			
	Eppha	Spaulding	0 7 4	0 17 0 0	0 0 11 3	1 5 3 3			
	Jonathan	Spaulding	0 14 8	2 6 9 0	0 4 3 0	3 5 2 0			
Sargt	Amos	Spaulding	0 7 4	0 17 0 0	0 5 10 0	1 10 2 0			
	Ashbel	Spaulding	0 7 4	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	0 7 4 0			
Widow	Abigal	Spaulding	0 14 8	2 6 9 0	0 5 0 3	3 6 5 3			
Capt	Samuel	Stevens Guardian for a number of the							
	heirs of	Simeon Stevens dec'd		0 11 5 0	0 0 0 0	0 11 5 0			
	Asher	Spaulding	0 7 4	0 0 0 0	— — —	0 7 4 0			
	Jesse	Spaulding	0 7 4	0 0 0 0	— — —	0 7 4 0			
	miel	mores of Medford		0 2 5 3	— — —	0 2 5 3			
	John	Swift	0 14 8	0 7 6 10	0 2 4 2	1 4 6 3			
	Nathan	Tyler	0 14 8	1 1 3 0	0 9 4 3	2 5 3 3			
	Jonathan	Williams	0 7 4	1 5 6 0	0 12 9 0	2 5 7 0			
Widow	Esther	Spaulding	2 ~~Guardian~~		~~Guardian~~ the Estate of the				
Widow	Esther	Richardson		0 8 6 00	0 0 0 0	0 8 6 0			
	Ephraim	Spaulding jr	0 7 4	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	0 7 4 0			
	Samuel	Fletcher jr	0 7 4	— — —	— — —	0 7 4 0			
	Dennes	melvine	0 7 4	— — —	— — —	0 7 4 0			
	John	mears	0 7 4	— — —	— — —	0 7 4 0			
	Jonas	Spaulding	0 7 4	— — —	0 0 3 0	0 7 7 0			
	James	parkhurst jr	0 7 4	— — —	— — —	0 7 4 0			
	John	Bateman	0 14 8	— — —	0 1 8 1	0 16 4 1			

	non Residents					
Capt	Joseph	Tyler of Newbury	1-2-7-0			1-2-7-0
	Samuel	Perham of Fullerton	2-11-11-1			2-11-11-1
Lt	Levi	Ridder of Lankester	0-2-6-3			0-2-6-3
	Ffecher	Keyes of Freesford	0-7-2-0			0-7-2-0
	Samuel	Richardson of Freesford	0-9-6-3			0-9-6-3
Revd	Joseph	Moodie of Enfield	0-6-9-3			0-6-9-3
	Zebediah	Rogers of Billerica	0-8-6-0			0-8-6-0
Lt	Isaac	Stearns of Billerica to a part of the				
	Estate of	John Pollard of Cambridge				
	Deceased		0-7-5-0			0-7-5-0
	Jonathan	Pollard of Billerica	0-2-0-3			0-2-0-3
	Oliver	Farmer of Billerica	0-2-4-0			0-2-4-0
		Sum total Errors Excepted				£148-1-4-2

Azariah Porter
Nopl. Davis
Isaac Chamberlin
} Assessors of Chelmsford

Middlesex ss. To Lieut Daniel Procter one of the Constables of the Town of Chelmsford in the County of Middlesex Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby Required to Levy & Collect of the several persons named in the List herewith Committed unto you each one his Respective proportion therein Set Down of the Sum total of said List it being a part of a Tax or Assessment agreed upon and granted by the Inhabitants of said Town of Chelmsford at a Legal publick Town meeting Regularly assembled on the third day of march one thousand seven hundred & Eighty Eight said Tax is for the use of Defraying the necessary Charges arising in said Town the present year and you are to Deliver and pay in unto William Fletcher Town Treasurer or to his Successor in said office at Treasurers all such sum or sums of money as you shall so Levy & Collect & you are to pay to him in proportion to the Sum total of the Sum total Set Down in said List on or before the first Day of march next ensuing & you are to pay to said Treasurer the said Town Tax & you are to pay the one half of

of the Said Sums at or before the first Day of September
next ensuing and the other half of Said Sums at or before
the first Day of march next ensuing and if any person Shall
neglect or Refuse to make payment of the Sum which
he is Assessed in Said List to Distrain the goods or Chattles
of Such person to the Vallue their of and the Destresses
So taken you are to keep for the Space of four Days
at the Cost and Charge of the owner and if the owner
Do not pay the Sum So Assessed within the Said four
Days then you are to Sel at publick Vandue the Destress
So taken for the payment thereof with the Cost and
Charges first giving forty Eight hours notice of Such
Sale by posting up Advertisements thereof in some
publick within the Town or District or plantation where the Owner
may be and the over plus if any there be besides Sums
Assessed and the Charges of taking and keeping the
Destresses you are Emediately to Return to the owner and
for want of goods & Chattle whereon to make Destress
besides Tools or Implements necessary for his trade
or occupation Beasts of the plow necessary for the
Cultivation of his improved Land arms & Cloathing necessary for
keeping necessary for ~~housekeeping~~ upholding Life and
and appeal necessary for him & his family for the
Space of twelve Days you are to take the body of
Such person So Refuseing or neglecting and him commit
unto the Common goal of the Said County there to
Remain until he pay the Same or Such part as Shall
not be abated by the assessors for the time being in the
Court of general Sessions of the peace of the said
County given under our hands and Seal this twenty
fourth Day of June A.D. 1782.

Azariah Porter
Moses Davis
Silas Chamberlin

This following assesment was made by the assessors of the Town of Chelmsford this twenty fourth Day of June one thousand Seven hundred & Eighty Eight to Defray the Charges Arizeing in said Town the present year

	Jonas	Adams	0 7 4	0 2 9 0	0 2 5 0	1 12 6 2
	Joseph	Adams	0 7 4	1 4 1 0	0 2 5 3	2 1 2 3
	Jonathan	Adams	0 7 4	0 17 0 0	0 2 0 2	1 6 4 2
Serg[t]	John	Adams	0 7 4	0 10 5 2	0 2 0 2	0 19 10 0
Capt	Abel	Adams	0 14 2	1 7 2 1	0 3 7 2	2 4 5 3
	Bery[a]	Adams	0 7 4	1 0 4 1	0 3 8 2	1 11 4 3
	John	Adams jun[r]	0 7 4	0 9 4 3	0 2 6 0	0 19 2 3
Clerk	Sam[l]	Adams	0 7 4	0 15 3 3	0 2 2 0	1 4 9 3
	Thomas	Adams	0 7 4	0 4 11 3	0 1 1 3	0 13 5 2
	Robert	Adams	0 7 4	0 8 9 0	0 3 1 1	0 19 2 1
Serg[t]	Timothy	Adams	0 7 4	0 10 5 2	0 1 6 2	0 19 4 0
	Joseph	Adams jun[r]	0 7 4	1 4 1 0	0 3 4 2	1 14 9 2
	Jeremiah	Abbot	0 14 8	0 6 10 1	0 0 7 1	1 2 1 2
wido	Joanah	Abbut	0 ——	0 18 8 1	0 1 0 3	0 19 9 2
	Nathan	Ames	0 7 4	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	0 7 4 0
	Oliver	Barron Esq[r]	0 14 8	2 11 0 0	0 7 2 3	3 12 10 3
	Ebenezer	Bridge Esq[r]	0 7 4	1 10 7 3	0 7 6 2	2 5 6 1
Esq[r]	William	Bridge	0 7 4	0 7 10 1	0 1 8 1	0 16 10 2
	John	Byam	0 7 1	0 10 7 2	0 1 2 0	0 19 1 2
	Joel	Barrit	0 14 8	1 14 0 0	0 6 10 0	2 15 6 0
wido	Suey	Byam	0 ——	0 10 2 1	0 1 4 1	0 11 6 2
	Amos	Byam	0 7 4	1 0 4 2	0 3 0 0	1 10 8 2
Doct[r]	John	Bettyes	0 7 4	0 17 9 1	0 3 9 3	1 8 11 0
	John	Byam jun[r]	0 7 4	0 10 7 2	0 0 9 1	0 18 8 3
Deacon	Aaron	Chamberlin	1 2 0	1 9 4 3	0 15 8 0	2 14 0 3
	Shimehar	Chamberlin	0 14 8	1 11 1 2	0 7 4 1	2 13 1 3
	Benjamin	Chamberlin	0 7 4	0 0 4 2	0 3 6 2	1 0 3 0
	Jacob	Chamberlin	0 7 4	0 14 10 2	0 4 3 0	1 6 5 2
	Isaac	Chamberlin	1 2 0	0 16 2 1	0 2 4 1	2 0 6 2
	John	Crosby	0 7 4	0 2 1 2	0 0 5 1	0 9 10 3
	Aaron	Chamberlin jun[r]	0 7 4	0 9 9 0	0 0 9 1	0 17 10 1
	Samuel	Chamberlin	0 7 4	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	0 7 4 0
	Abel	Chamberlin	1 7 4	0 14 10 2	0 0 0 0	2 2 2 2
	Willard	Cory	0 7 4	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	0 7 4 0

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Engin	Ebenezer	Shed	0	7	40	12	6	0	0	7	1	1	1	5	1
	Jonathan	Snow	0	7	41	0	3	3	0	2	8	0	1	10	3
wido	Esther	Spaulding	0	0	00	5	9	0	0	1	4	0	0	10	1
	John	Spaulding Jun	0	7	40	10	7	0	0	1	1	2	0	2	9
	Samuel	Spaulding	0	7	40	1	2	0	0	0	9	0	0	1	7
	Simeon	Spaulding	0	7	40	12	9	0	0	2	11	0	0	3	0
	Josiah	Simonds	0	7	40	15	4	0	0	0	5	2	1	3	1
	John	Spaulding 3d	0	7	40	10	7	0	0	1	9	2	0	2	9
wido	Jemima	Stoddard	0	0	00	8	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	6
	Ebenezer	Spaulding	0	7	40	8	2	1	0	1	5	0	0	16	11
	Levi	Snow	0	7	40	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	4
Capt	Joseph	Learned	0	14	81	14	3	0	0	7	1	0	2	15	9
Lt	Isaac	Learned	0	7	40	7	6	3	0	0	8	2	0	15	7
	Eleazer	Farmer	0	7	40	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	4
	David	Walker	0	7	40	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	4
	Stephen	Willson	0	7	40	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	4
Capt	Joseph	Learned in behalf of Jud Thar													
		Learned of West minister to a part of													
		the Estate of Simeon													
	Moses	Dewee			01	8	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	8
	Robert	Pierce 3d	0	7	40	0	0	0	0	1	4	0	0	8	8
	Jeramiah	Learned	0	7	40	12	9	0	0	10	2	0	1	0	11
	Henry	Spaulding 3d	0	7	40	7	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	7
Lt	Isaac	Learned to a part of the Estate of the													
wido	Joanna	Abbutt			0	7	1	0	0	0	9	2	0	7	10
	Walter	Tuttle	0	7	40	2	11	0	0	0	4	1	0	10	7
	Andrew	Bettyes	0	7	40								0	7	4
majr	John	minot on part of the Estate of Late Jon													
the	Honor of	Wath[e] Farrar	0	1	0	3			0	0	0	0	0	1	0
	Robert	Mears	0	7	40	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	4
	Joseph	Wilkins	0	7	40	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	4
	Non	Resident Land													
	Ebenezer	Parker of Minstor	2	3	2								0	2	3
	Samuel	Butterfield of Westford	0	5	0								0	0	4
	Benjamin	Crosby of Carlisle	0	0	9	3							0	0	9
Capt	Nehemiah	Fletcher of Westford	3	4	1								0	3	4
	Amos	Fisher of Carlisle	5	2	0								0	5	2

	[illegible]	Lawrence	Bellamee	0 : 5 : 1 - 1			0 5 1 - 1
[illegible]	Zebulon	Spaulding	Carlisle	0 : 4 : 3 - 0			0 4 3 - 0
[illegible]	Zacheus	wright	Chesterford	0 : 10 : 1 - 1			0 10 1 - 1
	Simon	wright	Chesterford	0 : 1 - 5 - 0			0 - 1 5 - 0
				Sum total Errors Excepted			151 : 18 : 7 : 2

Azariah Moulton
Moses Dana
Isaac Chamberlin
} Assessors of Chelmsford

Chelmsford July 9th 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr william Fletcher Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Towns money to Azariah prentice the Sum of three pound twelve Shilling it being for money which the Said prentice advanced to pay mr Joshua Atwood of peterborough Slip for keeping the widow Dorrithy williams one of the poor of the Town of Chelmsford as part pay for keeping the above Said poor for the year 1787 & 1788

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By order of the Selectmen Azariah prentice Town Clerk

Chelmsford July 9th 1788

it was ordered By the Selectmen that mr william Fletcher Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Towns money to mr Isaac Chamberlin the Sum of Two pound fourteen Shillings it being for money which the Said Chamberlin advanced to pay mr Joshua atwood of peterborough Slip for part for keeping the wido Dorrithy williams & nursing and finding necessaries for her in Sickness in the year 1787 and 1788 who is Supported by the Town of Chelmsford ——————————

£2 - 14 : 0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah prentice Town Clerk

Middlesex ss to Mr Daniel Foster one of the Constables
of the Town of Chelmsford in the County aforesaid
Greeting
In the name of the Commonwealth of Mass. you
you are hearby Required Forthwith to Levy and Collect of
the Several persons named in the List hereunto
Committed unto you ~~by them~~ Each one his Respective
perportion therein Set Down of the Sum total of s.d
List it being a part of a Tax or Assessment of Fifteen
perportion of Two hundred & ninety four pounds Sixteen
Shillings & Seven pence granted and agreed upon by
the Genral Court of this Commonwealth at their Session
begun and held at Boston on the Thirty first Day of May
1787 and Continued by Adjournment to the Twenty Seventh Day of February
following for an for Defraying the Necessary Charges of
Securing Protecting & Defending the Same & your to Levy
and Raise the Same unto Alexander Hodgdon Esq.
and Receiver general of s.d Commonwealth this
Precept in Part of the Same & your to make
Return of your Collection of the whole Sum on or before the first
Day of November next ensuing and if any person shall
neglect or Refuse to pay the Said Sum or any part
assessed in the Said List to Distrain the goods or Chattels
of Such persons to the value thereof and the Distress
So taken to keep
Cost and Charges of the same by you to be added to and
Return

the Sum So Assessed with in the Said four Days then you
are to Sell publick Vandue the Destresses So taken
for the payment thereof with the Charges giving
forty Eight hours notice of Such Sale by posting up
advertizements thereof in Some publick place in the
town District or plantation as the Case may be
and the over plus arriseing by Such Sale if any
there be to pay the Sum assessed & the necessary Charges
of taking & keeping the Destresses you are to Render
the Same to the owner and for want of goods or Chattles
whereon you are to make Distress to take Tools or Imple-
ments necessary for his trade or occupation Beasts
of the plow necessary for the Cultivation of his
improved Land arms Cutlerals for house keeping
necessary for upholding life Bedding and apparel
necessary for himself & family for the Space of
twelve Days you are to take the Bodey of such
person So Refuseing or neglecting & him Commit
unto the Common goald of the Same County
there to Remain until he pay the Same or Such a part
thereof As Shall not be abated by the Assessors for the
time being or the Court of General Session of the peace
for the Said County - -

Given under our hands & Seals this fourteenth Day
of July - - One thousand Seven hundred & Eighty eight

The foregoing is a true Copy
of an original warrant Dated
by Lt Daniel Porter one of
the Commissioners of the Town of

Azariah Porter
Moses Porter
Isaac Chamberlin

this following Assessment was made by the Assessors of the Town of Chelmsford the fourteenth day of July AD 1728 to answer the Sales treasurers warrant bearing Date the tenth day of April 1728

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To Serjt Daniel Procter one of the Constables
of the Town of [illegible] in the County of Middlesex greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you
are hereby Required to Levy and Collect of the Several
persons named in the List herewith Committed unto
you Each one his Respective perportion therein Set Down
of the Sum total of Such List being a part of a Tax
or perportion of a Tax or Assessment of a Tax
or Assessment of Two Hundred Ninety four pounds
Sixteen Shillings & Seven pence granted and made upon
us by the General Court of this Commonwealth at their
Session begun and held at Boston on the Thirty first day of
May 1780 & Continued by Adjournment to the Twenty seventh
Day of February following and for Defraying the other
Charges of Securing Protecting & Defending the Same
you are to Transmit and pay in the Same unto the
Hon.ble Joseph Hosmer Esqr Treasurer & Receiver general of this
Commonwealth or to his Successor in that office and to Compleat
and make up your Account of your Collecting of the Said
Sum on or before the Twenty first Day of November next
Ensuing & if any person Shall neglect or Refuse to pay
the Said Sum wherein as he is assessed in the Said List
to Destrain the goods or Chattels of Such person to the
Value thereof & the Distress So taken to keep by the
Space of four Days at the Cost and Charges of the owner
& he Shall not pay the Sum so assessed within the Said
four Days then you are to Sell at publick Vendue the
Destress So taken for the payment thereof with the
Charges first arising first paying unto the owner the Surplusage
by you in your Distress or plantation as the case
may be & the case plain in writing by Such Sale & pay
them to the Selectmen the Sum assessed and the reasonable
Charges of taking & keeping the Destress you are to
Render the Overplus to the owner
goods or Chattels [illegible] you are to [illegible]

Besides Tools or implements necessary for his Trade or occupation Beasts of the plow necessary for the Cultivation of his Improved Land arms & Ammunition for house keeping necessary for upholding Life Bedding & apparel necessary for himself and family for the Space of twelve Days you are to take the Body of such person so Refusing or neglecting and him Commit unto the Common Gaol of the Same County there to remain until he pay the same or Such a part thereof as Shall not be abated by the Assessors for the time being or the Court of General Session of the peace for the Said County

given under our hands & Seals this 1st day of
warrant from the State treasurer aforesaid this
fourteenth Day of July 1788

the foregoing is a true Copy
of an original warrant Dated
to Daniel Procter one of the Constables
of the Town of Chelmsford

Azariah Procter
Moses Davis
Isaac Chamberlain

Pursuant & Conformable to
the above Procter Your
this following Assessment was made by the
Assessors of the Town of Chelmsford this
fourteenth Day of July A.D. 1788 to Assess the
State treasurer Warrant Bearing Date the tenth Day of
April 1788—

		Polls	Real	Personal	Sum total
Moses	Adams	0 0 0	1-2-9	0 0 2-5	0 1-5 2-0
Joseph	Adams	0 7-6	1 4 1-0	0 2 5	3 1-14-6-3
Jonathan	Adams	0 0 0	0 17 0	0 0 4 0	2 6 19 0 2
John	Adams	0 0-0	0 10-5-2	0 2-0	2 8 12-6-0
Abel	Adams	0 15 0	1 7 2-1	0 3 7	2 2-5 9-2
Benjamin	Adams	0 7-6	1 0 4-1	0 3 8	2 1-11-6-3
John	Adams jun	0 7 6	0 9 4 3	0 2 6	0 0 19 4 3
Samuel	Adams	0 7-6	0 15-3-3	0 2 2-0	1-4-11-3
Thomas	Adams	0 7-6	0 4-10 3	0 1-1 3	0 13 7 2
Robert	Adams	0 7-6	0 8-9-0	0 3 1 1	1 19 4-1
Timothy	Adams	0 7 6	0 10 5-2	0 1-6-2	0 19 6 0

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	Jeremiah	Learned	0	1	6	0	12	9	0	0	10	2	1	1	2
	Henry	Spaulding Jr	0	7	6	0	7	3	0	0	0	0	0	7	3	0
	Jesse	Learned to a parte of the Estate													
	of the wido	Joannah Abbutt				0	7	1	0	0	0	9	2	0	7	10	2
	Ithan	Tuttle	0	7	6	0	2	11	0	0	0	4	1	0	10	9	1
	Edmond	Bettys	0	7	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	6	0
	major John	minott to a part of the Estate															
	Lately in	the possion of nathanl															
	Farrar					0	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3
	Robert	means	0	7	6	0	0	0	0	—	—			0	7	6	0
	Joseph	nicklels	0	7	6	0	0	0	0	—	—			0	7	6	0
	John	Stearns	0	7	6	0	0	0	0	—	—			0	7	6	0
	Samuel	Cornand	0	7	6	0	0	0	0	—	—			0	7	6	0
	paul	Hunt	0	7	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	6	0
	Eleazer	Farrar	0	7	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	6	0
	Fro	Residents Lands															
	Ebenezer	parker of winchester				0	2	3	2	—	—			0	2	3	2
	Samll	Butterfield of Westford				0	0	5	0	—	—			0	0	5	0
	Benjn	Crosby of Carlisle				0	0	9	3	—	—			0	0	9	3
Capt	Jeduthah	Fletcher of Westford				0	3	4	1	—	—			0	3	4	1
	Amos	Kidder of Carlisle				0	5	8	0	—	—			0	5	8	0
	John	Laws of Billerica				0	5	1	1	—	—			0	5	1	1
Lt	Zebulon	Spaulding of Carlisle				0	4	3	0	—	—			0	4	3	0
Col	Reuben	wright of Westford				0	10	1	1	—	—			0	10	1	1
	Amos	wright of Westford				0	1	5	0	—	—			0	1	5	0

Sum total Errors Excepted £149:15:5:1

Azariah Prentice } Assessors
Moses Davis } of
Jesse Chamberlin } Chelmsford

Chelmsford September ye 2: 1788

It was Ordered by the Selectmen that Mr William Fletcher town treasurer should Pay out of the towns Money to Mrs William Adams the following sums —

for Nursing Sarah Reed twenty two weeks at one shilling p one week which Began the first of March last & Ended the first Day of August last pay the sum of one pound three shillings & ten pence £1: 3: 10: 0

& more for Clothing which the said Adams Provided for the above mentond Sarah while Living with him the sum of Eleven shillings & seven pence £0: 11: 7: 0

By order of the Selectmen Zuriah Proctor £1: 15: 7: 0

Pr Town Clerk

Chelmsford September 4th 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that m^r William Fletcher Town Treasurer Should Receive of one of the Constables of Said Town of Chelmsford all the ministerial Rates for the year one thousand Seven hundred & Eighty Eight which was granted at the annual publick Town meeting on the third Day of march last for the Support of the Gospel ministry in Said Town the present year which was Committed to Said Constable to Collect

To Receive of Lieu^t Daniel proctor one of the Constables of Said Town the Sum of one hundred pounds or before the first Day of march next Ensuing as by orders from the Assessors to Said Constables and Said Treasurer is to Sue for the Same if payment be not Lawfully made —

and the Said Treasurer is hearby ordered to pay out the Said money as he Shall Receive orders from the Selectmen from time to time

By order of the Selectmen Ebenezer proctor Town Cl

To Receive of Lt Daniel proctor the Sum of £100:0:0:0

Chelmsford September 4th 1788

It was ordered by the Selectmen that Mr Neil an-
Fletcher Town Treasurer Should Receive of one
of the Constables of the Town of Chelmsford
all the Town Taxes with are Delivered or may
be Delivered to the Said Constable to Collect
for the Defraying the Charges in Said Town
the present year at or before the first Day
of march next ensuing
To Receive of Lt Daniel prentice the Sum of
three hundred pounds at or before the first
Day of march next ensuing as by orders
of the assessors to Said Constable of Said Town and the
Said Treasurer is hearby ordered to Receive
Every other Sum or Sums of money that is
or may be Lawfully Due to Said Town for the
present year
and the Said Treasurer is hearby ordered
to Sue for the Same if payment be not lawfully made
and the Said Treasurer hearby ordered to pay
out the Said money which he Shall So
Receive as he Shall have orders from the
Selectmen from time to time
by order of the Selectmen Attest Daniel prentice Town Cl

To Receive of Lt Daniel prentice the Sum of £300:0:0:

Chelmsford. September 4th 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr william Fletcher for Treasurer. Should pay to the Revd mr Eleazer Bridge out of the money that was granted at the annual meeting in March last for the support of the gospel ministry in said town the present year the sum of twenty pounds it being for one year's salary which began the first of June last and Ended the first of September present

£20-0-0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah Prentice town Clerk

Chelmsford September ye 12 1788

It was ordered By the Selectmen that Mr William Fletcher Town treasurer Should Pay out of the Town money to Mr James Dunn the Sum of one pound one Shilling & 6 it being for Part of Six months pay for Keeping Sampson Farmer one of the Town Poor in the year 1787

£1-1-6-0

By order of the Selectmen

Azariah Prentice town Clerk

Chelmsford September 13th 1788

It was ordered by the Selectmen that mr William Fletcher Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Towns money to mr Ephraim parkhust the Sum of fourteen pound fifteen Shilling & nine pence it being for said parkhust Collecting the State and minister Taxes for the year one thousand Seven hundred & Eighty Six in full for Collecking Said Taxes at Six pence on the pound for the year above mentioned £14-15-9

By order of the Select men Azariah prentice Town Cl.

Chelmsford September 13th 1788

It was ordered by the Select men that mr William Fletcher Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Town money to mr Ephraim parkhust the Sum of one pound Eight Shillings it Being for said parkhust keeping a writing School at the north End School house the last winter past a part of the Cost of Rhoding for the year 1787 £1-8-0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah prentice Town Cl.

Chelmsford Sept r 13th 1788

It was ordered by the Selectmen that mr William Fletcher Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Town money to mr Simeon Blodget the following Sums viz —

to keeping Sarah Reed from the first of Sept 1787 til the first of march 1788 it being twenty Six weeks at one Shilling & four pence pr week the Sum of one pound fourteen Shillings & Eight pence pr — £1-14-8-0

to mony for Clothing with the said Blodgett provided for the above mentioned Sarah the Sum of Six Shillings £0-6-0-

Sum total £2-0-8-0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah prentice Town Cl.

Chelmsford September 1788

It was ordered by the Select men that m^r William Fletcher Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Town money to Lt Jonas Penne the Sum of ten pound Eight Shillings it being for said penne keeping m^r Robert Penne one of the Town poor fifty two weeks at four Shillings p week which began the first of September 1787 and Ended the 1st of September 1788 £10-8-0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah Prentice Town Clk

Chelmsford September 13th 1788

It was ordered by the Selectmen that m^r William Fletcher Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Town money to Lt Jonas Penne the following Sums Viz

for keeping Joannah Sawyers Twenty Six week at 2/2 p^r week began the first of Septr 1787 and Ended the first of march 1788 the Sum of Two pound Sixteen Shillings & four pence ~~to more for~~

To more for keeping the above mentioned Joannah Twenty Six weeks at one Shilling & Six pence p^r week which began the first of march last past & Ended the first of September instant the Sum of one pound nineteen shillings £2-16-4-0

To more for Clothing which the D penne provided for the above mentioned poor while Living with him the Sum of one pound Seven Shillings & Eight pence £1-19-0

To more for Boarding m^r Saml Chamberlin five weeks while keeping writing School at his house the Coto of Scholing for the year 1787 the Sum of one pound five Shillings £1-7-8-0

Sum total £1-5-0-0

£7-8-0-0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah Prentice Town Clk

Chelmsford September 7th 18: 1788

It was ordered By the Selectmen that Mr William Fletcher town treasurer Should Pay out of the town money to Mr Oliver Peirce the following Sums viz. for one pair of Shoos which the D Peirce provided for Mr Robart Peirce one of the towns poor the sum of Seven Shilings & four pence

£0 : 7 : 4 : 0

To more for one Pair of Shoes which he provided for the widow Elizabeth Bryant who is supported at publick charge the sum of five Shilings & four pence

£0 : 5 : 4 : 0

Sum total £0 : 12 : 8 : 0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah Prentice town Clerk

Chelmsford September 7th 18 1788

It was ordered By the selectmen that Mr William Fletcher town treasurer Should Pay out of the town money to Mr Ebenezer Kidder the Sum of Seven Shilings & three pence it Beeing for D Kidder boarding & tending care of the wife of Moses Eastabrook and two children who applyed to the town for their support in the year 1786 £0 : 7 : 3 : 0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah Prentice Town Clerk

Chelmsford September 7th 1788

It was ordered By the Selectmen that Mr William Fletcher Town treasurer Should Pay out of the town money to Mr Oliver Peirce the Sum of two pounds Nineteen Shilings & three pence two farthings it beeing for D Peirce Collecting the town & county taxes in the year 1785 at five pence on the pound for Collecting 9 taxes which the town Voted to allow at a publick town meeting in march in the year 86 which D Peirce was Chosen

£2 : 17 : 3 : 2

By order of the Selectmen Azariah Prentice town Clerk

Chelmsford September ye 18 1788

it was ordred By the Selectmen that Mr William Fletcher town treasurer Should pay out of the towns mony to Mr Oliver Peirce the Sum of one Pound three Shillings & three pence it Being for Mr Benjamin Worrins Rates which was Due to Sd Peirce that the town Voted to abate on the fourteenth Day of may Last past

£1. 7: 3: 0.

By order of the Selectmen Azariah Procter town Clark

Chelmsford September ye 18 1788

it was ordred By the Selectmen that Mr William Fletcher town treasure Should pay out of the towns mony to Azariah Procter the Sum of one pound sixteen shilings it Being for mony which the Sd Procter Advanct to pay Mr Hill in part for keeping a Gramer School the Last winter past £1 16: 0: 0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah Procter town Clark

Chelmsford Sept 22d 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that Mr William Fletcher Town treasurer Should pay out of the Towns money to Mr Benja Spaulding the Sum of one pound ten Shillings & Six pence it Being for said Spaulding nursing & Taking Care of Abigal Hamer in the time of her Sickness while Living with him Twenty two weks the present year whoes Supported by ye Town £1-10-6-0

by order of the Selectmen Azariah Procter Town Clerk

Chelmsford September 22d 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that Mr William Fletcher Town treasurer Should pay out of the Towns money to Mr Benjamin Spaulding the Sum of two pound nine Shillings & ten pence for keeping Abigal Hamer one of the Towns poor twenty six weeks at one Shilling & Eleven pence per week which begun the first of march Last & End the first of present

£2-9-10-0

Byorder of the Selectmen Azariah Procter Town Clerk

Chelmsford September 22d 1788

It was ordered by the Selectmen that mr William Fletcher Town Treasurer should pay out of the Town money to mr Benja Spaulding that was granted at the annual meeting in march 1729 for the support of the gospel ministry in said Town the sum of nineteen Shillings & seven pence it being for two Cord & half of fine wood which the Sd Spaulding provided for the Revd mr Bridge part of the Cord of wood for the year 1788 — £ 0:19:7:0

by order of the Selectmen Attest mr Fletcher Town Clerk

Middlesex ss to Joseph Parker one of the Constables
of the Town of Chelmsford in the County of Middlesex
Greeting —

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby Required to Levy and Collect of the
Several persons named in the list herewith
Committed unto you Each one his Respective
perportion therein Set Down of the Sum total
of Such list it being a parte of a Tax or Assess-
ment Agreed upon and granted by the Inhabitants
of the Said Town of Chelmsford Legerly Assembled
on the third Day of March one thousand Seven hundred
and Eighty Eight Said Tax is for the use of
the Defraying the Charges of the Schools in Said Town
the present year and you are to Deliver and pay in
unto mr william Fletcher Town Treasurer or to his
Successer in Said office as Treasurer all Such Sum
of money as you Shall So Levy and Collect — and
you to pay in unto Said Treasurer the whole of the
Sum total Set Down in Said list and make up
your accounts with Said Treasurer on or before the
first Day of march next Insuing and you are
to pay to Said Treasurer the Said Sums as follows
and you are to pay the one half of the Said Sums Set Down
in Said list at or before the first Day of November
next insuing and the other half of Said Sums at or before
the first Day of march next insuing and if any
person Shall neglect or Refuse to make payment
of the Sums which he is assessed in Said list to
Destrain the goods or Chattle of Such person to the
Value thereof and the Distresses So taken you are
to keep for the Space of four Days at the Costs and
Charge of the owner and if the owner Do not pay the
Sums So assessed with in the Said four Days then you are
to Sell at publick Vandue the Distresses So taken
for the payment thereof with the Costs and Charges

theirof first giving thirty Eight hours notice of Such Sale - by posting up advertisements their of at Some publick place within the Town District or precinction as the Cause may be and the ouer plus if any their be besides the Sum assessed and the Charges of taken and keeping the Destress you are Imediately to restore to the owner and for want of goods and Chattles whereon to make Destress, besides Tools or Implements nessasary for his trade or occupation beasts of the plow nessasary for the Cultivation of his improved land arms Utensils for house keeping nessasary for upholding Life bedding and appreall nessasary for him Self and family for the Space of twelve Days you are to take the bodey of Such person So Refuseing or neglecting and him Commit unto the Common goald of the Same County their to Remain untile he pay the Same or Such a part as Shall not be abated by the assessors for the time being or the Court of general Sessions of the peace of the Said County

Given under our hands and Seal this Twenty fifth Day of September A.D. 1798 } Ths Jefferson
Isaac Chamberlin } Chelmsford

Sir you are hereby Ordered and Delied to Levy and Collect of the Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford the following assessment assessed by the assessors of Said Town this Twenty fifth Day of September to Defray the Charges of the Publick Schools in Said Town the ensuing year

Sergt	William	Adams	0	1	2	0	2	2	1	0	0	6	2	0	3	10	3
	William	Bowers	0	2	4	0	5	10	3	0	0	2	1	0	3	5	0
	Benjamin	Butterfield	0	1	2	0	2	6	1	0	0	7	3	0	4	1	0
	Senior	Blodget	0	1	2	0	3	5	2	0	1	1	2	0	5	7	0
	John	Bateman	0	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	2	8	0
	Samuel	Butterfield	0	1	2	0	1	6	0	0	0	5	3	0	4	1	0
	Francis	Bowers	0	1	2	0	2	5	0	0	0	5	3	0	4	1	0
	Benjamin	Butterfield	0	1	2	0	3	5	3	0	1	1	1	0	5	9	0
Sergt	Senior	Blodgett	0	1	2	0	3	5	2	0	0	6	3	0	5	2	1

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Rud	Eleazr	moore of Lexfield	0	1	1	2			0	1	1	2
[illegible]	Lewis	Gilbert of Sankester	0	0	5	0			0	0	5	0
(appl)	Joseph	Tyler of Readeary pro	0	3	8	0			0	3	8	0
	Samuel	Peirham of Littleton	0	0	1	3			0	0	1	3
	Israel	Moors of Medford	0	0	0	3			0	0	0	3
	Oliver	Farmer of Billerica	0	0	4	2			0	0	4	2

Sum total Errors Excepted £ 24 9 5 0

Ezariah Mosier
Moses Davis
Isaac Chamberlin
} Assessors of Chelmsford

Middlesex ss 1st Daniel Proctor one of the Constable of the Town of Chelmsford in the County of Middlesex —— Greating

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hearby Required to Levy and Collect of the Several persons named in the List herewith Committed unto you Each on his Respective perportions their in Set Down of the Sumtotal of Said List it being a part of a Tax or Assessment agreed upon and granted by the Inhabitant of the Said Town of Chelmsford thegether by assembled on the third Day of march one thousand Seven hundred & Eighty Eight Said Tax is for the use of the Defraying the Charges of the Writing Schools in Said Town the present year and you are to Deliver and pay in unto Mr Abram Tuttle Town treasurer or to his Successor in Said office or treasurer all Such Sums of money as you Shall So Levy and Collect and you are to pay to Said treasurer the whole of the Sumtotal Set Down in Said List and make up your accounts with Said treasurer on or before the first Day of march next ensuing and you are to pay the

Said Treasurer the Said Sums as follows and you are
to pay the one half of the Said Sum Set Down in Said
List at or before the first Day of November next
ensuing and the other half of the Said Sums at or before
the first Day of march next ensuing and if any person
Shall neglect or Refuse to make of the Sum which he is
Assessed in Said List to Distrain the goods or Chattle to be
Found thereof and the Distresse So taken you are
keep for the Space of four Days at the Cost and Charge
of the owner and if the owner Do not pay the Sum
So Assessed within the Said four Days then you are to Sell
& publick Vandue the Distresse So taken for the payment
thereof with the Cost and Charge thereof giving
forty Eight hours notice of Such Sale by posting up
Documents thereof in Some publick place within the
District or plantation as the Cause may be and the
Please if any there be beside the Sums assessed & the Charges
in taking and keeping the Distresse you are Forthwith to
Restore to the owner and for want of goods and Chattles
to make Distress beside Tools or Employment
for his trade or occupation Heath of the plow neat
for the Cultivation of his improved Land and
for house keeping necessary for upholding life &
and appeal for himself and family for the Space of
four ten Days you are to take the bodies of such person
So Refusing or neglecting and him commit unto the Common
Gaold of the Same County there to Remain until he pay
Same or Such a part as Shall not be Abated by him
for the time being or the Court of general Sessions of the Peace of
the Said County

Given under our hand & Seal this twenty fifth
Day of September Anno Dom 1787

Isaac Chamberlain

following Assessment was made on the Assessors of the Town of Chelmsford this Twenty fifth Day of September 1788 to Defray the Charges of the Riding Schools in said Town the present year —

	Jonas	Adams	0	1	20	3	8	2	0	0	4	3	0	5	3	1
	Joseph	Adams	0	2	40	3	11	0	0	0	5	1	0	6	2	1
	Jonathan	Adams	0	1	20	2	9	1	0	0	4	1	0	1	3	2
	John	Adams	0	1	20	1	8	3	0	0	1	1	0	2	11	0
	Abel	Adams	0	2	40	4	5	2	0	0	7	0	0	7	4	2
	Benja	Adams	0	1	20	3	3	3	0	0	7	1	0	5	1	0
	Elias	Adams jun	0	1	20	1	6	3	0	0	5	0	0	3	1	3
	Samuel	Adams	0	1	20	2	6	0	0	0	5	2	0	4	1	2
	Thomas	Adams	0	1	20	0	10	2	0	0	2	1	0	2	2	3
	Robert	Adams	0	1	20	1	4	3	0	0	5	3	0	2	11	2
	Jonathan	Adams	0	1	20	1	8	3	0	0	3	1	0	3	2	0
	Joseph	Adams 2nd	0	1	20	3	11	0	0	0	6	2	0	5	7	2
	Nathan	Ames	0	1	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0
	Jeremiah	Abbot	0	2	40	1	1	2	0	0	1	2	0	3	9	0
	Joanna	Abbot	0	0	00	3	0	2	0	0	2	1	0	3	2	3
	Aaron	Barron Esq	0	2	40	0	3	3	0	1	2	1	0	10	10	0
	Ebenezer	Bridge Esq	0	2	40	4	11	3	0	1	2	1	0	7	4	1
	Abraham	Bridge	0	1	20	1	8	3	0	0	2	1	0	2	2	0
	John	Byam	0	1	20	1	8	3	0	0	2	2	0	3	1	1
	Joel	Barrett	0	2	40	5	6	3	0	1	2	0	0	9	0	3
	Lucy	Byam	0	0	00	1	8	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0
	Silas	Byam	0	1	20	3	0	1	0	0	6	0	0	4	8	1
	John	Bettys	0	1	20	2	11	1	0	0	7	3	0	4	9	0
	John	Byam jun	0	1	20	1	8	3	0	0	2	0	0	3	1	0
	Aaron	Chamberlin	0	3	60	4	10	0	0	0	7	1	0	2	11	1
	Abimelech	Chamberlin	0	2	40	5	2	0	0	1	3	0	0	8	1	0
	Benja	Chamberlin	0	1	20	3	3	3	0	0	7	0	0	5	0	3
	Jacob	Chamberlin	0	1	20	4	10	1	0	0	2	2	0	6	8	3
	Isaac	Chamberlin	0	3	60	3	4	0	0	0	9	2	0	7	7	2
	John	Colby	0	1	20	0	4	1	0	0	0	3	0	1	7	0
	Aaron	Chamberlin jun	0	1	20	1	7	1	0	0	2	0	0	2	11	1
	Joel	Chamberlin	0	1	20	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	1	4	1

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Ebenezer	Parker	of Brimstown	0	0	1 2	£ 0 4
Samuel	Butterfield	of Waterford	0	0	1 0	0 0 1 0
Benja	Crosby	of Carlisle	0	0	2 0	0 0 2 0
Peletiah	Fletcher	of Westford	0	0	9 2	0 0 9
Amos	Fridder	of Carlisle	0	1	0 1	0 1 0
Lebeus	Spaulding	Carlisle	0	0	8 2	0 0 8
Zaken	wright	of Westford	0	1	7 3	0 1 7
Amos	wright	of Westford	0	0	3 0	0 0 3
Jotin	Sawyer	of Billerica	0	0	10 1	0 0 10

Constables Errors Excepted £25-10-7

Aseneth Procter
Moses Davis
Isaac Chamberlin
Assessors of Chelmsford

Chelmsford Sept 30th 788

Sir you are ordered by the Select men that you will Collect from the several persons Recorded one of the Constable of the Town of Chelmsford all the Taxes that are Delivered to the Said Constable of Said Town that were granted at the annual meeting in March Last for the purpose of Defraying the Charges of the Several Schools in Said Town the present year at or before the first Day of march next ensuing

You Shall pay out of Lt Daniel Procter the Sum of fifty pounds on or before the first day of march next ensuing or by order of the Assessors to Said Constable of Said Town and the Treasurer is hereby ordered to sue for the Same if payment be not Lawfully made

and the Said Treasurer is hereby ordered to pay out the Said money which he Shall So Receive as he Shall have orders from the Select men from time to time

by order of the Select men of Aseneth Procter Town Clerk

To Mr. Lt Daniel procter the Sum of £50-0-0

Middlesex ss To Lt Daniel Foster one of the Constables of the Town of Chelmsford in the County of Middlesex greeting in his Majesty's name

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby Required forthwith to warn all the Freeholders and other Inhabitants in said Town in your ward qualified by Law to vote in Town affairs to meet at the meeting house in said Chelmsford on Tuesday the 16th Day of October Instant at two of the Clock in the afternoon

at the Request of [illegible] a number of others to see if the Town will take into Consideration a matter Relating to a Town way Laid out in Some years past through Samuel Hunt's & Seventy Seven's & Excepted by said Town the said way begins at the Road near the house that was formerly Henry Fletcher's & Ends at the Road near the house that was formerly Zebediah Rogers as appears by the Town's Records & to take into any measure that the Town may think proper to open & mend said or to act any thing Relating thereto as that the Town may think proper

2dly to see if the Town will Chuse a Committee to Settle a Demand which major John Minott hath made against the Town Relating to some matter of Land which was given to Some of the Soldiers in the time of the last war & to act any thing Relating thereto as the Town may think proper

Hereof fail not and make Return of this warrant with your Doings thereon unto the Town Clerk at the time appointed for s'd meeting

Dated at Chelmsford this third Day of October A Dom 1788

Middlesex ss Chelmsford october 13th 1788

In obedience to the within warrant I have warned & do hereby warn all the freeholders & other Inhabitants within mentioned qualified by Laws to vote in Town affairs to meet at time & place & for the purposes within mentioned as I am directed to do by the Town

Daniel Foster constable

Chelmsford Septembr y 30th 1788

It was ordered by the Selectmen that mr William
Fletcher town Treasurer should pay out of the town
money to mr Jonathan Howard the sum of four pounds
eighteen shillings it being for Said Howard keeping a Regu
School Seven weeks & Boarding him self the same time
the School house in the northend of the town the Last
winter past

£ 4 - 18 - 0

By order of the Selectmen Aparish Porter town Clerk

Chelmsford Septembr 30th 1788

It was ordered by the Selectmen that mr William Fletcher
town treasurer should pay out of the town money to
mr Patrick Lemons the sum of one pound sixteen
Shillings it being for Said Lemons keeping a right
School one month att the North School house the Last
winter past a part of the Schooling for the year 1787.

£ 1 - 16. 0

By order of the Selectmen Aparish Porter town Clerk

Chelmsford September 30th 1788
it Was ordard By the Selectmen that mr William
fletcher Town treasurer should pay out of the towns
money to mr Isaac Chamberlain the Sum of three pound
Eaghteen shillings & four pence it Being fosteen Cords
of fine Wood which the said Chamberlain provided for
the Revrend mr Ebenezer Bridg as part of the thirty
Cords of Wood Which was Due to the Revrend mr Bridg for the
year 1788 att Seven shillings & ten pence pr Cord to be
paid out of the money that was granted for the ministerd
£ 3 : 18 : 4

By order of the Selectmen Azarah Prater Town Clark

Chelmsford September 30th 1788
it Was ordard by the Selectmen that mr William
fletcher Town treasurer should pay out of the
towns money to mr Davis the Sum of one pound
it being for a part of Lt Benjaman Warrings Rate
that was Due to said Davis in the year 1781 which
the town Voted to abate att a publick meeting
on the fortenth Day of may Last £ 1 : 0 0 0

By order of the Selectmen Azarah Prater town Clark

Chelmsford October 1th 1788
it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr William
fletcher Town treasurer should pay out of the town
money to Azariah prater the Sum of Two pound
ten Shillings & Eleven pence it being a part of
Lt Benjamin warrens Rate which was Due to said
prater for the year 1782 which the town have
abated at a publick Town meeting on the on the
fourteenth Day of may last £ 2 : 10 : 11 : 0
by order of the Selectmen Azariah prater Town Clerk

Chelmsford October 11th 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that Mr William Fletcher Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Towns money to Mr Ijeas patten the Sum of two pound one Shilling & two pence it being for said patten Bording & Taking Care of mary Brown one of the Town poor twenty six weeks at one shilling & twopence per week began the first of August 1787 & Ended the last of February 1788 £2-1-2-0

By order of the Selectmen Ezariah prowter Town Clerk

Chelmsford octobr: 11th 1788

it was ordard by the Selectmen that mr William Fletcher Town treasurer should pay out of the Towns money to Ephraim Bowers the sum of two pound sixteen Shillings seven pence & two farthings it being for Dy pence nineteen Town and State Rats for the year 1781 which I ow to Moses Bowers which the Selectmen of Sd Town have abated

£2-19-7-2

By order of the Selectmen Ezariah prowter Town Clk

Chelmsford octobr 11th 1788

it was ordard by the Selectmen that mr William Fletcher Town Treasurer should pay out of the town money to John Flood the Sum of two pound sixteen Shillings & seven pence it being for said Floods ministry town and State Rats for the year 1781 which the Selectmen of Sd town have abated

£ 2-16-7-

By order of the Selectmen Ezariah prowter Town Clk

Chelmsford octobr 11th 1788

it was ordard by the Selectmen that mr William Fletcher Town Treasurer should pay out of the towns money to Joseph parker the sum of one pound six Shilling & seven pence it being for said parkers State Rate for the year 1781 which was Due to Moses Bowers when he was Constable which the Selectmen of Sd town have abated £ 1-6-7-0

By order of the Selectmen Ezariah prowter Town Clerk

Chelmsford October 11th 1788

it was ordard by the Selectmen that mr William Fletcher
Town treasurer Should pay out of the town money
to Moses Davis the Sum of ten Shilling & Eight
pence it being for deficiencies in providing
provisions for the Indian Glusha when Landed of to
D Davis in the year 1788 £ 0 : 10 : 8 : 0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah prootor town Clerk

Chelmsford October 11th 1788

it was ordard by the Selectmen that mr William Fletcher
Town treasurer Should pay out of the town money
to Moses Davis the Sum of Eighteen Shillings it
Being for money which the D Davis advanced to Satisfy
Sum of the Cost Relating to Billirica great Bridg which
the town of Chelmsford has bin att £ 0 : 18 : 0 : 0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah prootor town Clerk

Chelmsford October 11th 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr William
Fletcher Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Town
money to mr Walter Harwood the following Sums
viz
for keeping Hulday Reed twenty Six weeks & one
Shilling & four pence pr week which began the
first of march last and Ended the last of August last
past the Sum of one pound fourteen Shillings & Eight
pence £ 1 - 14 - 8 : 0
to more for Clothing which the Said Harwood provided
for the above mentioned Huldey the Sum of Six
Shillings & Eight pence - - - £ 0 6 - 8 : 0 6

Sums total £ 2 : 1 : 4 : 0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah prootor Town Clerk

Chelmsford October 14th 1788

at a publick town meeting of the Freeholders and other Inhabitants of said Town being Legally warned & Regularly Assembled on the Day above said then & there proceeded as follows viz

Voted for moderator to Regerlate & govern said meeting Ebenezer Bridge Esqr ——— ——

Voted to Chuse a Committe to open the Road that was Laid out through Boltings pasture or it was it was Laid out

Voted that the Committe Should Consist of three persons

Voted for Lt Daniel Procter for one of Committe who Refused

Voted for one of Committe for the above purpose

Voted for Deacon Aaron Chamberlin for one of Committe for the above purpose

Voted for Capt Samuel Stevens for one of said Committe in Lue of Lt Daniel Procter for the above purpose

Voted to Chuse to Settle the Demands which major John Minott hath made against the Town Relating to Several notes of hand that was given to Some of the Solgers in the time of the Last warr

Voted the Committe Should Consist of three persons

Voted for said Committe for the above purpose Capt Benja Hutchins mr Joel Spaulding Capt Samuel Stevens

Ebenezer Bridge Esqr ——— ——

Recorded by Izariah Procter Town Clerk

Chelmsford october 16th 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr william Fletcher Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Towns money to Azariah Procter the Sum of Two pound ten Shillings it being for money by him the Said Procter advanced to Satisfy Some part of the Cost of the Judgment which the Town of Billerica Recovered against Said Town in Building Billerica grate Bridge So Called over Concord River - - - - - - - - £2. 10. 0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah Procter Town Cl

Chelmsford [illegible]

It was Ordered That mr William Fletcher Town [illegible] Should pay out of the towns money that was Granted for the use of the ministry to mr Oliver Sheldon of Westford the Sum of fifte[illegible] & five pence two farthings it Being for his ministerial hat[illegible] this year 1788 which is to be Deducted from the Rate that [illegible] towards the Support of [illegible] for the Ensuing year above mention[illegible] £2 14 5

By order of the Select men Azariah Procter Town Cl[illegible]

Chelmsford oct 28th 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr William Fletcher Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Towns money to mr Joseph Spaulding the Sum of three pound Eighteen Shillings it being for Said Spaulding keeping Abigal Farmer and her Child Twenty Six weeks at three Shillings per week which began the first of Septr 1786 Ended the first of march 1787 who was one of the Town poor

By order of the Selectmen Azariah Procter Town Clerk

£3 18 0

Chelmsford oct 28th 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr William Fletcher Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Towns money to mr Joseph Spaulding the Sum of one pound fourteen Shillings & Eight pence for keeping Abigal Farmer & her Child twenty Six weeks at one Shilling & four pence per week which began the first of march 1787 & Ended the first [illegible]

By order of the Selectmen Azariah Procter Town Clerk

£1 14 8

Chelmsford oct^{r} 28th 1788

It was ordered by the Selectmen that m^{r} william Fletcher Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Towns money to m^{r} joseph Spaulding the sum of one pound Six Shillings & Eight pence it being for Clothing which the S^{d} Spaulding provided for Abigal Farmer & her Child in the year 1787 which she by Leaving with him

£1-6-8

By order of the Selectmen Azariah prouter Town Cl^{k}

Chelmsford October 29. 1788

At a meeting of the Selectmen it was ordered that m^{r} William Fletcher Town treasurer Shall pay out of the town money to Doc^{r} John Bettey Fifteen Shillings it being for a Number of Days Service as a Committe man for said Town in Settling the treasurer Barnets in said Town and Drawing Report &c

£0:15:0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah prouter Town Cl^{k}

It was ordered that Chelmsford October ye 29 1788 m^{r} William Fletcher Town treasu Should pay out of the towns mony the widow Elizabeth Parkhurst the following Sums Viz for keeping Joseph Farmer one of the towns poor thirty Six week at Eleven pence pr week which Began the first of September 1787 & Ended the first of march 1788 the Sum of one Pound three Shilings & ten pence

£1:3:10

to wore for Clothing provided for D Joseph white Lucie with him the Sum of ten Shillings & four pence

£0 10 2

By order of the Selectmen Azariah prouter Town Clerk

£1:14:0

Chelmsford October ye 30 1788

It was ordered By the Selectmen that m^{r} william Fletcher Town treasurer Should pay out of the towns mo to Azariah Prouter the Sum of ten Shillings it Being for Boding a School mistress three weeks & 2 Days the Last Summer past for Bord of the Eto of Schooling for the year 1787 School kept at S^{d} prouters

£0:10:0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah prouter town Clerk

Chelmsford October ye 30 1788

it was order By the Selectmen that Mr William Fletcher Town treasurer Should pay out of the towns money to Mr Benjamin Chamberlin the sum of one pound Nineteen Shilling it being for Boding Polly Chamberlin while keeping School at his house the Last Summer Past in full for the Bord of the cost of Schooling for the year 1787 of adams Squadron & Just pay keeping & Schooling the year afore meton

£1 19 : 0 : 0

By order of the Selectmen Attest Josiah Procter town Clerk

Chelmsford October ye 30 1788

It was order'd By the Selectmen that Mr William Fletcher town treasurer Should pay out of the towns money to Isaac Chamberlin the sum of three pound it being for money the D Chamberlin Advanced to pay Mr Gannett for keeping a Grammer school in the year 1785

£3 : 0 : 0 : 0

By order of the Selectmen Attest Josiah Procter town Clerk

Chelmsford November 18th 1788
it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr William
Fletcher Town Treasurer should pay out of the Town
money to Azariah Prentice the Sum of two pound
four shillings it being for Nathan Chelmsford Town &
minister and State Rates for his Real in the year
1788 which was not gotten by Reason of his being
Confined in Dunstable Gaol a part of the year as aforementioned
£2-4-0
By order of the Selectmen Azariah Prentice Town Clk

Chelmsford November 18th 1788
it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr William
Fletcher Town Treasurer should pay out of the Town
money to Azariah Prentice the Sum of Eighteen
Shillings it being for two weeks Schooling that
he provided for the Squadron in the South End
of said Town as part of the Rate for the year 1787
by order of the Selectmen Azariah Prentice Town Clk

Chelmsford November
18th 1788
it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr William
Fletcher Town Treasurer should pay out
of the Town money to Azariah Prentice
[illegible]

Chelmsford November 29th 1788
it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr William
Fletcher Town Treasurer should pay out of the Town
money to mr James Dunn for the Sum of one pound
Eight Shillings & four pence for providing Cloths
& mending Cloths for Samson Farmer one of the
Towns poor in the year 1788 — £1-8-4-0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah Prentice Town Clk

Chelmsford December 9th 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that Mr William Fletcher Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Towns money to Mr James Dunn for the following Sums viz -

for keeping Sam for Harmer part of the month which began the first of September 1787 and Ended the first of march 1788 the Sum of Two pound Sixteen Shilling & Six pence £2-16-6

To more for keeping the Said Sam for twenty Six weeks at Two Shillings & Seven pence per week which began the first of march 1788 & Ended the first of September last past the Sum of three pound Seven Shilling & Two pence £3-7-2-0

£6 3 8 0

Sum total

By order of the Selectmen & entered per Clerk

Chelmsford December 31st 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that Mr William Fletcher Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Towns money to Mr Samuel Varney the following Sums viz

for making & mending Shues for Some of the Towns poor the Sum of ten Shillings £0-10-0

To more for plank for a Bridge in Said Town the Sum of Two Shillings & Six pence 0-2-6-0

To more for one pound of powder for blowing Stones in the Highways in Said Town 0-1-0

Sum total £0 14

By order of the Selectmen & entered per Clerk

Chelmsford December 9th 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that Mr William Fletcher Town Treasurer Should Pay out of the Towns money to Isaac Chamberlin the Sum of Two pounds Eight for money that the Said Chamberlin advanced to Satisfy part of an Execution against the Town & in favour of the Widow of William Varnum late of Billerica deceased Vide page over (second book) By order of the Selectmen & entered per Clerk

Chelmsford December y^3^d 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that Mr William Fletcher Town treasurer Should pay out of the towns money to Azariah Prorter the Sum of three pound it being for money which the said prorter Advanced to satisfy a part of an Execution which the town of N. Hanover hath Comand against the town of Chelmsford Relating to building a Great Bridge over Pocomtuck River so called — £3 - 0 - 0

Azariah Prorter town Clerk

Chelmsford December y^3^d 1788

it was ordered By the Selectmen that Mr Williams Fletcher town treasurer Should pay out of the town money for Mr Jeremiah Spaulding the Sum of three pound it being for Mr Jeremiah Spauldings Serving as Constable for the year 1787 for said Town which was granted to him as a Consideration for Sd Service — — — £3 - 0 - 0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah Prorter town Clerk

Chelmsford December 5th 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr williams Fletcher Town treasurer should pay out of the Town money to mr Joseph Spaulding the Sum of [illegible] for Spaulding which the said Spaulding paid for Sundry Charges that Some of the Towns people Run in the year 1787

£0 - 9 - 0 - 0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah prorter Town Clerk

Chelmsford December 6th 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr William Fletcher Town treasurer should pay out of the Town money to Benjamin [illegible] Junr the Sum of Six Shillings which he was Ordered by the Selectmen at the annual Town meeting in may 1787 for his Service under general Lincon in an Expedition when the insurgants Rose against government in the year 1786 — £0 - 6 - 0 - 0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah prorter Town Clerk

Middlesex ss To Joshua Davis one of the Constables of
the Town of Chelmsford in the County of Middlesex
greeting
in the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts
you are hearby Required Forthwith to warn all the
freeholders and other Inhabitants in said Town in
your ward qualifyed by Law to vote to assemble
at the meeting house in said Chelmsford on Thursday
the Eighteenth Day of December Instant at one of the Clock
in the afternoon

1ly then and there for the inhabitants of said Town to
make choice of some Suitable person or persons as Elector
or Electors for the County of Middlesex to Represent said County
there of in the Congress of the united States agreable to a
Resolve of the general Court of said Commonwealth
as the Law Directs

2ly for said inhabitants to make choice of two suitable persons
to serve as Candidates for an Elector of the President &
Vice President of the united States agreable to a Resolve of
said Commonwealth

3ly at the Request of the Committee which were Chosen to lay
the Roade through Billings pasture so Called on the 18th
Day of October last past and to act any thing thereon
& the opening said way through the land that is now
Davis's the Roade as was Laid out as the Town may think
proper

4ly for the Town to hear the Report of the Committee that
was Chosen Settle the Demand that major Johnson
held against the Town & to act thereon as the Town may
think proper

5ly to see if the will Vote money may be Drawn out of the
treasurey to provide fire wood for the grammer School and
all other Schools in said Town the present year or act
any thing thereon as the Town may think proper

6ly at the Request of Solomon Fearnor Esqr to see if the Town will
any thing Relating to Bond Given by Reuben Fearnor as
his friends Signed by a number of the inhabitants
was given to said Corp for his going into the Continental Service

in Some yeare past & to act any thing upon said article as
the Town may Judge nesasury

7ly at the Request of the Revd Mr Bridge to See if the Town
will pay him is Due from s Town to him or give him
security for the Same or to act any thing Theiron as the Town
may Judge Suitable

Heare of fail not and make Return of this warrant with
your Doings Theiron unto the Town Clerk Sometime
before the time appointed for Said meeting Dated
Dated at Chelmsford the Thirteenth Day of December
A D 1788
Middlesex ss Chelmsford January 29 1789 in obedeance to the Warrant
I have warned & Caused to warn all the freeholders and the inhabi-
tants of Said Town qualifyed to vote in Town affairs to assemble at
time & place and for the purpose within mentioned according
to a Vote of Said Town

Joshua Davis Constable

Accounts for Dumb 1811. 1788.

It was ordered by the Selectmen that Mr William Hall their Town Treasurer should pay out of the Towns money to Mr John Dutton the following Sums viz

to keeping the widow Alice Cory Twenty Six weeks at Two Shillings & ten pence pr week which began the first of March last & Ended the first of Sept last past Amount of three pound fourteen Shillings & Eight pence £3:13:8 0

to cash for Clothing which the D Dutton provided for the widow Cory the sum of four Shillings 0:4:0

Sum total £3:17:8.co

By order of the Selectmen Azariah Wadsworth Town Clk

at a publick Town meeting of the Freeholders and other Inhabitants of said Town of Dumbarton being Legally warned & Regularly Assembled together at the meeting house on the Eighteenth Day of December 1788 for the purpose of Chusing a Representative for the County of middlesex to Represent D County in the Congress of the united States then proceeded as follows viz

Voted for Nathaniel gorham Esq Thirty Votes	30
Vote for Joseph Bradley Varnum Esq Three Votes	3
Vote for Elbridge Gerry Esq three Votes	3
Voted for Eleaz Bridge Esq two Votes	2
Voted for John Brooks Esq one Vote	1

Then said Town Proceeded to the Choice of Electors as follows

Voted for Eleanezer Bridge Esqr Thirty three Votes 33

Voted for Joseph Bradley Varnum Esq for Representative 21 —
Voted for John Brooks Esq thirteen Votes 13 —
Voted for Elbridge Gerry Esq three Votes — 3 —
Voted for Nathaniel Gorham Esq two Votes — 2 —
Voted for Francis Dana Esq one Vote — 1 —

At a publick Town meeting of the Freeholders & other inhabitants of said Town being Legally warned & Regularly Assembled at the meeting house on the Eighteenth Day of December 1788 then & Town proceeded as follows
Voted for moderator to govern & Regulate said meeting
Voted to Adjourn the article Relative to open the Road through Mr Moses Davis Land to the next publick Town meeting
Voted not to Draw any money out of the Treasurer of this Town to provide fire wood for the several Schools the year insuing
Voted to Adjourn the Report of the Committe Relative to major Johns minott matters to the next publick Town meeting
Voted the Town Should indemnify Oliver Barron from any Damage for Delivering up the Bond as Bail to the heirs of Stephen Cory which was under the Town Seal that was left with him by the Selectmen in the year past
Voted to Indemnify Oliver Barron Esq from any Damage by his Delivering up Elizabeth Corys part of the said Stephen Corys Bond to her
Voted have a Settlement made between the Town & Mr Ebenr Bridge Relating to the money Due from the Town to him & the Ballance that appeared Due in favour of Mr Bridge the Treasurer is to give a note in writting in behalf of the Town to him
Voted the interest that appeared due to Mr Bridge unable to the last Committe Report made July ye 8th last past Shall be allowed to him Voted the Selectmen Shall be a Committe to Settle with the Treasurer in the Settlement which is to be made with Mr Bridge Voted to Adjourn this meeting to the next publick Town meeting
Ebenezer Bridge Esq moderator

Recorded by Ezra Wales Town

Chelmsford December 26th 1788

It was ordered by the Selectmen that Mr William Fletcher Town Treasurer should pay out of the Town money in his hands unto the number of one pound Nine pence & one penny it being for Labour that he did at the opening the Roads through Starlings Pasture (Capt. Dunn by order of the Committee which was disputed

£ 1 9 1

To Reader

By order of the Selectmen Ephraim Frankland Town Clerk

Chelmsford December 26th 1788

It was ordered by the Selectmen that Mr William Fletcher Town Treasurer Shall pay out of the Town money to Mr Ephraim Frankland the following sum viz

for his Dog Rate for his head in the year 1788 which he has not yet taken out by Reason of his being from Home when the Selectmen have abated the sum of Eleven Shillings & five pence

£ 13 5 0

for Davis mulatto Male for his head the State & minister Rate for the year 1786 the sum of sixteen Shillings & two pence

0 16 2 0

£ 1 9 7

By order of the Selectmen Ephraim Frankland Town Clerk

Chelmsford December 26th 1788

It was ordered by the Selectmen that Mr William Fletcher Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Town money to Mr Oliver Peirce the sum of ten Shillings & Eight pence it being for two pieces of Sheeting which the Peirce made for some of the Town poor in the year 1782

£ 0 10 8

By order of the Selectmen Ephraim Frankland Town Clerk

Chelmsford December 26th 1788

It was ordered by the Selectmen that Mr William Fletcher Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Town money to Mr Ephraim Frankland the following sum viz

for Mr Fla Barker Rate for his head in the year 1786 which the Selectmen abated by Reason of the Barkers being a poor State of Health the sum of fifteen Shillings

£ 15 0

for Nathaniel Henry Gray Rate in Pelham for the year 1786 the sum of Thirteen Shillings & two pence which is not yet collected in said Town

£ 13 2

£ 13 5 2

Chelmsford December 26th 1788

It was ordered by the Selectmen that our William Fletcher Town Treasurer should pay out of the town money to [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

Chelmsford December ye 25 1788

It was ordered by the Selectmen that Mr William Fletcher town treasurer should pay out of the town money to the sum of four pounds ten shillings & nine pence two farthing being for money that the Jd Chamberlin advanced & actually paid out on execution that the town of Billerica had against the town of Chelmsford £4 10 9 2

By order of the Selectmen Tyerian Procter town Clerk

Chelmsford December ye 26 1788

It was ordered by the Selectmen that Mr William Fletcher town treasurer should pay out of the town money the sum of two pounds one shilling & four pence to Mr Stephen peirce 3d four labour done on the Rode through Boland pasture, by order of the Commety Chosen to open Said Rode £2 1 4

By order of the Selectmen Tyerian Procter town Clerk

Chelmsford December ye 26 1788

It was ordered by the Selectmen that Mr William Fletcher town treasurer should pay out of the town money to Mr Stephen peirce for the sum of two pounds fourteen shillings for work 3d peirce did on the new Rode through Boland pasture, By order of the Commety which was Chosen to open Said Rode £2 14 0

By order of the Selectmen Tyerian Procter town Clerk

Chelmsford December ye 26 1788

It was ordered by [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

Chelmsford Dem[br] 26th 1787

At a vestry held by the Selectmen that mr William Fletcher town treasurer should pay out of the towns money to mr [illegible] the sum of five pounds four Shillings for labour on Marshall Hill in the new Roade through Colonel Harlows yarde of the Commissioners that was taken in to Roade

£5 4 0

Pay out of the Assessment granted [illegible]

Chelmsford Dicember 26th 17

It was ordered by the Selectmen that mr William Fletcher town treasurer should pay out of the towns money to mr Phill[ip]s parker the sum of five pounds four Shillings it being for

Cost of Schooling for the

Sixth Squeadron for the year 1788 which said parker proves that was kept at the School house in the neck

£5 4 0

by the Selectmen at said parkers

Chelmsford Dem[br] 31th 1788

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr William Fletcher town treasurer should pay out of the towns money to mr Simeon Skeen the following sum to keeping mary Brown twenty ten weeks at nine pence pr week which began the first of march 1788 & Ended the first of September last past the sum of nineteen Shillings & six pence

£0 19 6

to save for taxes which the Town abated in some years past for a number of persons which was taxed in said Skeens list which is not fue with one order that has been Drawn before this time on account of said taxes the sum of fourteen Shillings & six pence

0 14 6

Sum totel

£1 14 0

By order of the Selectment Attest mote Bowr Clerk

Chelmsford Decm 31th 1788
it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr William
Fletcher Town Treasurer should pay out of the
Town money to mr Simeon Stevens the Sum
of two pound fourteen Shillings & ten pence
it being for John Fladers Rate which was
Levied in Sd Stevens List in the year 1782 which
he Served as Constable which the Selectmen have
abated — £2.14.10-0

by order of the Selectment Azariah Prentice Town Clerk

Chelmsford Decmbr 31th 1788
it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr William
Fletcher Town Treasurer should pay out of the
Town money to Joseph Varnum the Sum of
one pound twelve Shillings & six pence for keeping
Thankfull Reed one of the Town poor Twenty six
weeks at one Shilling & three pence per week begun
the first of march 1788 & Ended the first of September
last past — £1 12-6-0
By order of the Selectmen Azariah Prentice Town Clerk

Chelmsford Decmbr 26th 1788
It was ordered by the Selectmen that mr William Fletcher
Town Treasurer should pay to the Proprietors of Stevens
Bridge out of the money that was granted & Levied at a
meeting in march last for the Support of the gospel
ministry in said Town the present the Sum of twenty
pounds it being for one quarter Salary which began
the first of September last past and Ended the first
of December instant — £20

By order of the Selectmen Azariah Prentice Town Clerk

Chelmsford

Chelmsford jany 5th 1789 -

it was ordered by the Selectmen that Mr William Fletcher Town Treasurer should pay out of the money that was granted at the anual meting in march for the Support of the gospel ministry and town the present yeer to Mr Abner Harnick the sum of one pound four shillings it being for said harnicks [illegible] ringing the Bell & keeping the meting house from the first of march last to the first of april last past

By order of the Selectmen Izariah Proctor Town Clerk

Chelmsford jany 5th 1789 -

it was ordered by the Selectmen that Mr William Fletcher Town treasurer should pay out of the Town money to Mr Abner Harnick the sum of fifteen shillings & six pence it being for said Harnicks moving Brush in the learning yard & mending the wall & picking Brush into heaps five Days & half the last fall past

£0 15 6

By order of the Selectmen Izariah Proctor Town Clerk

Chelmsford Jan 15th 1789
it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr William Fletcher
Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Town money
to Doctr John Bettys the following Sums viz—
to Doctring Jesse Cory in Septr & Octr in the year 1788 in
the Sum of one pound one Shilling & four pence
£1-1-4-0
To more for Doctrg Asa Marter while under the Town
Care the Sum of three Shillings & three pence 3-3-0
Sum total £1-4-7-0
by order of the Selectmen Azariah Prentice Town Clerk

Chelmsford Jany 5th 1789
it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr William
Fletcher Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Town
money to mr Aaron Chamberlin Junr the Sum of two
pound thirteen Shillings & four pence it being for Do
Chamberlin providing one month Riting School
& boarding the master the time of keeping the School
or part pay for the Cost of Schooling for Adams
Squirrel now for the year one thousand Seven hundred
& Eighty two —— £2-13-4-0
By order of the Selectmen Azariah Prentice Town Clk

Chelmsford Jany 6th 1789
it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr William
Fletcher Town Treasurer Should pay out of the Town
money to Doctr Ebenr Foord the Sum of Two pound
Eight Shillings & four pence for his Service as
a Committeeman in the year 1779 in takeing
Care of the Soldiers families & providing for
them while they were in the Continental
Service —— £2-8-4-0
By order of the Selectmen Azariah Prentice Town Clk

Chelmsford Jan[y] 1 1789

It was ordered by the Selectmen that m[r] William Hatch[e] Town treasurer Should pay out of the Towns money to Azariah Prater the Sum of five pound five Shillings it being for money which the Sd Prater was ordered to Satisfy part of the Cost of the Execution which the Town of Billerica Recovered against Sd Town Relating to the Cost of building the grate bridge a Cross Concord River — £5:5:0

by order of the Selectmen Azariah Prater Town Clerk

Chelmsford Jan[y] 13th 1789

It was ordered by the Selectmen that m[r] William Hatch[e] Town treasurer Should pay out of the Town money to Capt Joseph Warren the Sum of four Shillings for time Spent in the Towns Servis as a Committee in Carrying on the Suite of Law with Billerica Relating to the grate Bridge over Concord River as Called — £0:4:0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah Prater Town Clerk

Chelmsford Jan[y] 16th 1789

It was ordered by the Selectmen that m[r] William Hatch[e] Town treasurer Should pay out of the Town money to m[r] Benjamin Butterfield Junr the Sum of one pound Eight Shillings for Labour which the Said Butterfield Did on the Roade leading from [illegible] by order of the Comm[tee] which were Chosen to open Sd Roade in the year 1788 — £1:8:0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah Prater Town Clerk

Chelmsford Jan[y] 16th 1789

It was ordered by the Selectmen that m[r] William Hatch[e] Town treasurer Should pay out of the Town money to [illegible] for Boarding the Sum of four [illegible] of Sheep wool that the [illegible] Sd Town Should [illegible] Sum for Some one of the [illegible] — £0:14:0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah Prater Town Clerk

Chelmsford January 16th 1789

it was voted by the Selectmen that mr William
Town Treasurer Should pay
[illegible] at five pounds four
shilling it being for money which the Plaintiff
Expended for the Committe to carry to Suffolk Court
in April 1788 to Defray the Cost of the action
between Billerica and Chelms for Repairing the
grate Bridge over Concord River £5 0 0

[illegible] of the Selectmen [illegible]

Chelmsford Jany 16th 1789

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr William
Fletcher Town treasurer Should pay out of the Town
money to mr John Bryant Jnr the following Sum
to keeping hannah gorder twenty fifteen
at one Shilling & one penny Week which began
the first of march 1788 & Ended the first of Septr
Last past the Sum of one pound Eight Shillings
& two pence £1-8-2-0
to more for mending Clothes & making Clothes
for the above mentioned hannah four Shillings 0-4-0

Sum total £1-12-2-0

by order of the Selectmen Azariah Prouter Town Clerk

Chelmsford Jan-y 16th 1789

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr William
Fletcher Town treasurer Should pay out of the Town
money to Azariah Prouter the Sum of nineteen Shillings
it being for money which the Said Prouter advanced to
Satisfy a part of the Cost of the Execution against the
Town for Repairing the grate Bridge over Concord River
By order of the Selectmen Azariah Prouter Town Clerk £0-19-0

Chelmsford Jany 16th 1789

it was ordered by the Selectmen that mr William Fletcher
Town treasurer Should pay out of the Town money
to mr Benjamin Chamberlin the Sum of one pound
nineteen Shilling it being for Said Chamberlin boarding
a Shoat at his House for the year 1788 which belonged to the
Squeadron for the year afore mentioned £1-19-0
By order of the Selectmen Azariah Prouter Town Clerk

Boston ss to Lieut Daniel Procter one of the Constables of the Town Chelmsford in the County middlesex Greeting
In the Name of the Commonwealth of Massechusetts you
are hereby Required forthwith to warn all the free
holders & Sothers Inhabitance in s town en your town
Qualifyde by Law to vote to assemble at the meeting
house in s Chelmsford on thursday the twenty ninth
day of Instant at one of the Clock
afternoon
then and for the Inhabitance of s town to Give in
their votes unto the Selectmen for some Suitable
person to Serve as a Representative for the County of Middlesex
to Represent s County there of in the Congress of the
United States Agreable to a Resolution of the General
Court of said Commonwealth
2 to see if the town will proseed and Chuse a Committy
to settle accounts with the treasurer for the Ensuing
year Relating to Grants & payments of money in s town
and act thereon as the town may Judge Suitable
3 to see if the town will make Mr William Blanchard to Rate if the
town will make him any Consideration for his being
over Rated for a number of years past and to act
anything thereon as the town may think proper
4 to see if the town will Raise s Sum of money
to Defray the Charges arising thereon as the town may
think proper
5 to see if the Town will Chuse a Committy to Examin in
to the Number & names of the Nursing School have Bin kept
in s town from march one thousand seven hundred & Eighty
one to march 1783 and to act anything thereon Relating thereunto
as the town may Judge needfull
6 to see if the town will take into Consideration a matter
Relating to the wall in the East side of the burying
yard and allso to see if they will move & move
the wall more to the East then where it now stands
or to act any thing thereon that the town may think
proper
7 to see if the town will abate a number of persons
their Rate for several years past which have Bin
Returned as the town Stable to Elect & have not Bin Collected
by Reasoning to pay their Rates and to act
anything thereon as the town may think proper

Dated

Hear of said not and make the [illegible] thier wo[illegible]
with your Doings thereon unto the town clerk
time before the time appointed for sd meeting
Dated at Chelmsford the twenty Seventh Day of
January D 1789
for order of the Selectmen Nathaniel Wood
Middlesex ss Chelmsford January ye 28 1789
In obediance to this within written warrant I
notifide the inhabitance of sd town [illegible]
Qualifyde by Law to Vote to meet at time & place
within mention agable to a Vote of
Daniel Procter Constable

Middlesex ss To Joshua Davis one of the Constables
of the town of Chelmsford in the County
Middlesex Greeting
In the Name of the Common Wealth of massachusetts
you are hearby Required forth with to warn all
the Free holders & others in Habitance in Said Town
in your ward Qualifyd by Law to Vote to assemble
at the meeting house in Said Chelmsford on
Thursday the twenty Sixth Day of January in Stant
at one of the Clock in the after Noon
1 ly then and there for the inhabitance of Said Town
to give in there Votes unto the Selectmen for Some
Suble person to Serve as a Representive for the County
of of middlesex to Represent Said County there of in
the Congress of the united States Agreable to a Resolve
of the general Court of Said Commonwealth
2 ly to See if the town Will proced and Chuse a Committy to
Settle accounts with the town treasurer for the present year
Relating to the grants & payments of money in Said
Town & act there on as the town may Judge Salable
3 ly at the Request of mr William Blanchard to See if the
town will make him any Consideration for his being
over Rated for a number of years Back and to act
any thing thing thereon as the town may think
proper
4 ly to See if the town Will proced in Buliding a new
meting House and to act any thing there on as the
town may think proper

6 ly to See if the town will Chuse a Committy to Examon
in what way & maner the Reqsiten Schools have Ben
Kept in Said town from march one thousen Seven
hundard & Eighty to march 1788 and to act any thing
Relating there unto as the town may Jusg Nessesall
(ly to See if the town will take in to Consaration a
mater Relating to the Wall on the Est Side of the Burying
yeard an. also to See if they will procead & moove out
Said Wall more to the Est then where it now Stands
or to act any thing there on that the town may
think proper
7 ly to See if the town will abate the Numbr of pasons
hyway Rats for Several years past which have Ben
Delivered to the Constable & Corlecters & have not been
Corlected as yet by their Refusing to pay Ds Rats &
to act any thing there on as the town may think proper

Hear of fail not and make Return of this Warrant
with your Doings there unto the town Clerk Sum time
before the time appointed for Said meeting. - - -
Dated att Chelmsford this Seventeenth Day of January 1789
By order of the Selectmen Ayorah procter Town Clerk

middlesex Ss Chelmsford January 28 1789
in obedance to the with in Warrant I have Notifyd
the in habetance of Ds town in my Ward Qualifyd by
Law to Vote to meet at time and place and for the
purpose with in mensiond a Cording to the Vote of the
town. - - -

Joshua Davis Constable

Chelmsford January 19th 1789
It Was ordard by the Selectmen that mr William fletcher
Town Treasurer Should pay out of the town money
to Ayorah procter the Sum of three Shilling
& Eaight pence it Being for mokeyes & tea & the
Ds procter advanced to one of the poor of Ds town

£ 0-3-8-0

By order of the Selectmen Ayorah procter town
Clerk

at a publick town meeting of the Inhabitants of Plattsburgh
and other Inhabitants of the town being Legally
warned & Regularly Assembled on the twenty
ninth Day of January 1789 at the meeting house
for the purpose of Chusing a Representative
to Represent the County of middlesex in the
Congress of the united States of America then
said town proceeded as follows viz —

Voted for Elbridge Gerry Esq. twenty one Votes	21
Voted for Ebenezer Briggs Esq twenty one Votes	21
Voted for Joseph Bradely Varnum Esq thirteen Votes	13

at A publick town meeting of the Freeholders &
other Inhabitants of said town being Legally
warned & Regularly Assembled on the twenty
ninth Day of January 1789 for the purpose of
performing publick town busines then
as follows viz

Voted for moderator to govern & Regulate said meeting
mr moses Davis

Voted to Chuse a Committe to Settle accounts with
the town treasurer

Voted for said Committe for the above purpos mr
Spaulding Capt Stearns Capt John Batty

Voted that the last mentioned Committe shall
their Report at the annual meeting
of their proceedings

Voted the town Clerk should attend on the Committe
when they met to settle with the treasurer with all
Books of Records in order for settlement

Voted not to act on the article of mr Wm Bs Candle

Voted to Chuse a Committe to settle the Soldiers Pay from
march 1780 to march 1788 the Soldiers to the
Squadrons which they have been

Town

the three Selectmen Should be the Committe for
Ellering the Schooling as aforementioned

Voted to Chuse a Committe to Examine the wall
of the Burying yard Relating to moueing it out

Voted that Capt Joseph Warner Officer Barron Esqr Com
Samuel Sheldon Should be the Committe for the above
purpose

Voted not to act on the article Relative to the Highway Matter

Voted to Excent of the Report of the Committes Report Relating
to major John minots Demand on the Town —

Voted to Adjourn this meeting til monday the Sixteenth
Day of February next at one of the Clock in the afternoon
then said meeting was Adjourned
mess Dawes moderator of Said meeting

Recorded by Hezekiah prentice Town Clerk

At a (Selectmen's) meeting January 7th 1799
Ordered By the Selectmen that Mr William Hutchinson
Should pay out of the Towns
money to Mrs Lydia Spalding the sum of one
pound five shillings for keeping one Sabbath
School in the year 1788 when Deacon
Was keeping School at Mr Simeon Stevens
£ 1 5 0

By Order of the Selectmen Hezekiah prentice Town Clerk

Chelmsford January ye 29 1768

It was ordered by the Selectmen that Mr William Fletcher Town treasurer should pay out of the Town money the sum of two pounds one Shilling & one penny to Mr Henry Colburn for Labour D Colburn Did at the Bridge over Speenbrook by order of the Comunty which was chose open D Rode through Boland pasture — £ 2 - 1 : 1 : 0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah Procter Town Clerk

Chelmsford January ye 29 1768

it was ordered by the Selectmen that Mr William Fletcher town treasurer Should pay out of the Town money the sum of two Pounds ten Shilings to Mr Joseph Moon for Labour which D Moon Did at the Rode in Carrying through Boland pasture so Call'd by order of the Comunty which was chosen to open D Rode

£ 2 : 10 : 0 : 0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah Procter Town Clerk

Chelmsford Jany 29th 1769

it was ordered by the Selectmen that Mr William Fletcher Town treasurer Should pay out of the Town money to Mr Jonathan Williams the Sum of Twelve Shillings for a Book of Record which the Selectmen purchased of Said williams for the Town use — £ 0 - 12 - 0 : 0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah Procter Town Clerk

Chelmsford January 29th 1769

it was ordered by the Selectmen that M^r williams Fletcher Town treasurer Should pay out of the Town money to Mr Oliver peirce the following Sums viz for the one half of David moses Rates which the Town abated who was taxed in Said peirce List the Sums of three Shillings & Seven pence two Farthings — £ 0 - 3 - 7 - 2

to make for money D peirce advanced to Satisfy Some part of the Cost of Billerica grate Bridge over Concord River Six Shillings — £ 0 - 6 - 0 : 0

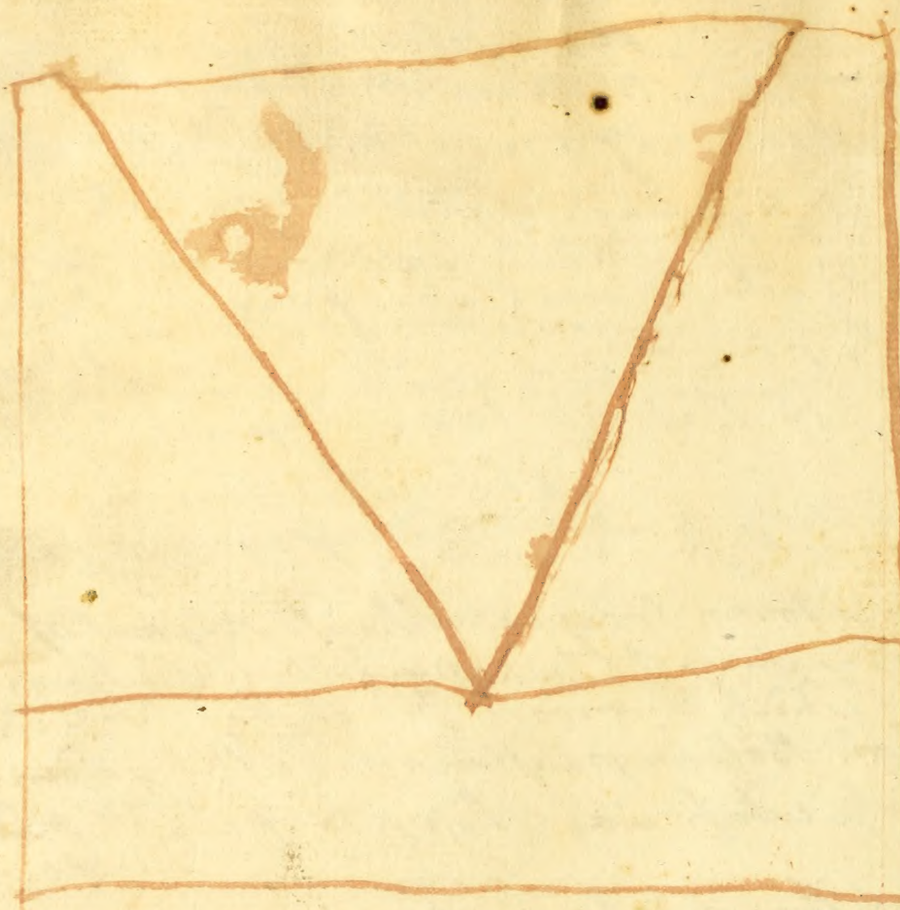
Sum total £ 0 - 9 - 7 - 2

By order of the Selectmen Azariah Procter Town Clerk

Chelmsford January 29th 1769

it was ordered by the Selectmen that Mr William Fletcher Town treasurer Should pay out of the ministeral money to Henry Blazedell Six Shillings & two pence for his ministeral Rates for the year 1765 which was not gotteble by his Subscribing to the baptis Society for that year — £ 0 - 6 - 2 : 0

By order of the Selectmen Azariah Procter Town Clerk



Chelmsford January 30th 1789

It ordered that William Fletcher Town treasurer Should pay out of the Town money to Azeriah Procter one Shilling and Seven pence three Farthings for necessaries Delivered to the wife of Joseph Pearson for her Support while Living at William Lawrences in the year 1788 £0-1-7-3-0

By order of the Selectmen Azeriah Procter Town Clerk

Chelmsford January 30th 1789

It was ordered by the Selectmen that William Fletcher Town treasurer Should pay out of the Town money to Moses Davis the Sum of two pound Eighteen Shillings & four pence for money. Said Davis advanced to Satisfy a part of Billerica Execution against the Town of Chelmsford Relating to the Cost of Billerica grate Bridge over Concord River £2-18-4-0

By order of the Selectmen Azeriah Procter Town Clerk